The Weather
Today—Sunny, windy, and a little warmer. Yesterday—High, 60; low, 53.

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50 Killed, 125 Injured in Train Collision

Rain Soaks Wheat Belt, Saves Crops From Ruin

Only West Texas, New Mexico Grain In Danger; 1.02 Inches Fall Here

Most of the Nation's wheat belt was soaked yesterday by a "billion-dollar rain" that allayed growers' fears of crop ruination from continued drought.

The storm began in eastern Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas, according to Lloyd A. Stevens of the Climate-Crop Weather Section, Department of Agriculture. It extended up into Southern Indiana and Ohio, over to Georgia, and up the Atlantic Seaboard as far as Pennsylvania.

"The rain was worth a billion dollars to us," Stevens said, adding that the only grain crops now in danger are those in west Texas and New Mexico.

Rain in Virginia, Maryland

Substantial rain was reported to have covered all of Virginia, except the extreme Northwest corner of the State, and the eastern half of Maryland. But from around Frederick, Md. westward, it was said, little rain fell.

More than an inch of rain fell in Washington. But the Weather Bureau said, this continues to be the driest April in 74 years.

J. Morton Franklin, head of the local victory garden program, said he had recently inspected gardens in all parts of the metropolitan area and had found them to be "standing still." However, he added, no plants were wilting as they had reserve soil moisture carried over from the winter.

Gardens Back in Shape

"The rain was of inestimable value," he said, "and it has put our victory gardens back in shape."

The Weather Bureau reported that today will be sunny, windy and a little warmer than yesterday's high of 58 degrees at 2 p. m.

A total of 1.02 inches of rain was reported to have fallen here between 2:30 a. m. and 5 p. m. yesterday.

Since January Washington had a total of 7.12 inches of rain, making this still the driest year since 1872, when 6.17 inches had fallen up to this time.

Pavot Captures Rainy 'Graw Race at $3.70

By Walter Haight
Post Reporter

Havre de Grace, Md., April 25.—Walter M. Jefford's Pavot, a star as a 2-year-old in 1944, came to the races for the first time this year and was a driving winner of the Choptank, outstanding event on the Thursday's program. The 4-year-old son of Case Ace was booted home two lengths in front of the closest opposition by Jockey Aubrey Snellings. In second position came H. L. Straus' Quarter Moon, two lengths in advance of Gustav Ring's Hasteville. William Helis' Milos was fourth and last.

A crowd of 9000, smallest gathering of the meeting, braved a rainy day to see the sport and the track was slow as the four sprinters got away. Pavot was the favorite at $3.70 and was clocked in 1.14 for the three quarters of a mile.

Quarter Moon attempted to steal a long lead but Pavot kept close up while being nicely rated by Snellings. It was not until the stretch was reached that Snellings put Pavot to a drive. The colt responded and disposed of Quarter Moon to win going away. Hasteville was a driving third all the way while Milos was simply overmatched and outrun.

Apprentice Jockey Sammy Walter made the daily double a personal proposition. After winning with With Honor he came back to ride R. S. Reynolds, jr.'s Hawk-

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BOOK LUNCHEON TICKETS AVAILABLE!

Tickets are now on sale for the Book and Author Luncheon, sponsored by The Washington Post, to be held at the Statler, Thursday, May 2, at 12:45.

Tickets available at $2.75, from Brentano's main and branch stores, Ballantyne's, Whyte's, Francis Scott Key, Better Mouse Trap and Community Bookshops, Kann's and Woodward & Lothrop's.

Speakers: Ilka Chase, Emery Reves, Max Shulman, Phyllis Bottome, Stewart Alsop and Thomas Braden.

Rites at Washington Cathedral for Chief Justice Stone

Supreme Court guards carry the casket of Chief Justice Harlan Fiske Stone from Washington Cathedral on Mount St. Alban after funeral services yesterday. Associate Justices of the high court, honorary pallbearers, stand at upper end of canopy — Associated Press Photo

Soviet Opposes U.S., France on 2 Treaty Issues

Clash on Austrian Settlement and Ruhr Disposition Reported

By Joseph E. Dynan

Paris, April 25 (AP).—Official quarters said tonight the United States and France had clashed with Russia on Austrian and German issues this afternoon at the opening of the [illegible] conference of foreign ministers.

Proposals made by U. S. Secretary of State James F. Byrnes and French Foreign Minister Georges Bidault that the conference consider a settlement with Austria and internationalization of the Ruhr Basin met with stiff opposition from Soviet Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov, these reports said.

The opposition arose as the ministers of these three nations and Britain assembled to map their agenda for the meeting, called at the suggestion of Byrnes to break the deadlock over the drafting of peace treaties with Italy and other vanquished nations.

Reaffirm Potsdam Agenda

The ministers reaffirmed the schedule adopted a year ago at Potsdam, placing the Italian treaty at the top of their agenda, followed by treaties with the Balkans and with Finland.

Byrnes and Bidault then moved to add the Austrian and Ruhr questions to the agenda for this meeting, but Molotov declared that both these topics were unforeseen developments which needed further study, these informants said. The Russians were said to have stated they had not sufficient time to examine all phases of both questions.

The United States is reportedly urging a treaty with Austria which would assure her independence and "regularize" her status. France demands internationalization of the coal and steel producing Ruhr Basin and detachment of the Rhineland from Germany.

Possible Rift Not Mentioned

At the end of the initial meeting, which lasted three hours, the ministers failed to reach an agreement, and the questions of Austria and the Ruhr were passed over until their meeting tomorrow at 4 p. m. (10 a. m., EST).

Later in the evening the fourmation secretariat issued an official

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Ticking Bomb Fails to Rout Queen Mother

London, April 25 (U.P.).—Dowager Queen Mary calmly moved to the other side of her residence at Marlborough House today and Buckingham Palace servants avoided windows as Britain settled down to wait for the ticking bomb in St. James' Park to let go.

Royal guards closed the great gates into St. James's Park, isolating the drained duck pond where the unexploded 5-year-old German bomb—nicknamed "Annie"—rests at the bottom of a 30-foot shaft.

The Royal Family was away at Windsor Castle, but the 78-year-old queen mother refused to leave her home at Marborough House, which is on the opposite side of the park from Buckingham.

Experts said the ticking of the bomb fuse had grown fainter and may have stopped, but that perhaps it was only muffled by water seeping into the shaft.

Bomb disposal experts headed by Maj. A. E. Smith said the situation now has developed into a matter of leaving the bomb alone for 24 hours and seeing if it blows up.

They left the isolated park, planning to return at the expiration of 24 hours to make another check. If the bomb does not explode by 7 p.m. tomorrow, they will send a volunteer down the shaft to detonate "Annie" with a charge of powder.

Smith said little damage was likely beyond a few shattered windows because of the depth at which the bomb lays.

Jury Convicts Grocer Of Rape in 11 Minutes

Detroit, April 25 (AP).—Frank Lobaido was convicted of rape and attempted murder of 7-year-old Rosalie Giganti today in a verdict returned by a jury of eight women and four men after 11 minutes of deliberation.

The verdict makes Lobaido, a 29-year-old grocer, liable to a maximum sentence of life imprisonment. As is customary in Michigan, the court deferred sentence to May 1 pending a probation report.

Arnold Bus Strike May Be Called Today

Labor Dept. Works To Maintain Service For 50,000 Patrons

The Labor Department worked last night to avert a threatened strike of employes of the Washington-Virginia-Maryland Motor Coach Co. to assure service today to 50,000 commuters to Washington from nearby Virginia.

A strike decision was to be put up to 190 members of an AFL transit union last (Thursday) midnight at a meeting called for the Ballston Firehouse.

Federal Conciliator Gilbert McCutcheon, assigned to the case, stated that he hoped to persuade union officials to call off the meeting.

Union President A. M. Hancock disclosed that the strike meeting was called after an afternoon session at the Labor Department with company and Government representatives.

Hancock said that there was "insufficient time" to call the strike at midnight, but added that there was a good possibility that the strike would occur sometime today.

Drivers, mechanics, inspectors and foremen would be affected by a strike call.

The strike threat grows out of union wage demands for increases of 30 cents to 42 cents an hour. McCutcheon explained that immediate differences are largely over arbitration with the union willing to arbitrate under its contract and the company refusing to arbitrate

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Truman Leads Official Group At Funeral of Justice Stone

By Marshall Andrews
Post Reporter

Chief Justice Harlan Fiske Stone was buried yesterday on a rain-swept hillside in Rock Creek Cemetery after brief and simple ceremonies at Washington Cathedral.

Only the immediate family and a few close friends were present at the burial. The funeral, however, was attended by official Washington led by President Truman, by diplomats and high Army and Navy officers and by hundreds of plain people who braved a sullen rain to pay tribute to the last of the Supreme Court's great dissenters.

At the conclusion of the simple Episcopal rites which Justice Stone himself desired, the casket was borne from the cathedral by eight Supreme Court guards.

A single small wreath of purple iris and yellow jonquils was left in its place on the bier.

Interrupts Vacation Cruise

President Truman, who interrupted his vacation cruise on Chesapeake Bay for the services, entered at 1:58 p. m., dressed formally in a cutaway and escorting Mrs. Truman, who wore black. Miss Margaret Truman was escorted by the President's chief of staff, Admiral William D. Leahy. Coming down through the south transept, the presidential party crossed before the bier and took seats on the left side of the west nave.

At 2:07 the casket was borne in through the south transept by the eight uniformed guards who served as pallbearers. It was followed by seven of the eight associate justices of the Supreme Court and two retired justices. They were former Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes, whom Justice Stone succeeded in 1940, and former Justice McReynolds. Only Justice Robert H. Jackson, now representing the United States at the Nuernburg war crimes trials, and retired Justice Owen J. Roberts were absent.

Justice Stone's family followed, Mrs. Stone heavily veiled and with head bowed, and their two sons, Dr. Marshall H. Stone of Cambridge, Mass., and Col. Lauson Stone of New York. They were seated on the right side of the west nave, directly across from the presidential party.

Favorite Hymn Intoned

Two minutes later, at 2:07, the cathedral choir in purple cassocks and white surplices, marched slowly down the west nave, intoning "O God, Our Help in Ages Past," a favorite of the late Chief Justice.

Services were conducted by the Rev. Fleming James, D.D., dean of the School of Theology, University of the South, Suwanee, Tenn., friend for half a century of the dead jurist. He was assisted by the Right Rev. Angus Dun, Bishop of Washington, and the Very Rev. John Wallace Suter, dean of the cathedral.

The order of service was taken from the Episcopal Book of Common Prayer and was doubly impressive because of its simplicity and its brevity. There was no eulogy and no sermon. Only once was the name of Justice Stone

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Brotherhoods Call Railroad Strike May 18

Findings of Board On Wages, Conditions Of Work Are Rejected

Cleveland, April 25 (AP).—A strike that could paralyze the Nation's rail system was ordered today for May 18 by two railroad brotherhoods.

They rejected the recommendations of a fact-finding board in the brotherhoods' dispute with carriers over wages and working rules changes.

General chairman of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers approved a walkout by acclamation at the conclusion of a two-day conference on the board's recommendations.

Negotiate Monday

Dissatisfied with the recommendations, President A. F. Whitney of the Trainmen's Brotherhood told the conference:

"Now is the physchological time to press down on these railroads and get our rule changes through."

Whitney and Alvanley Johnston, grand chief engineer of the Engineers Brotherhood, declared the strike order would "not be called off until a satisfactory settlement is reached."

The two brotherhoods and the carriers meet next Monday at Chicago to attempt to negotiate differences.

If the strike were allowed to go forward, it would be the first gen-

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One Flyer Rams Into Another At 80 MPH

Crash at Chicago Suburb Worst in Burlington Records; Red Cross at Scene

Naperville, Ill., April 25 (AP).—The Burlington Railroad's Exposition Flyer plowed into the rear of the road's Advance Flyer at an 80-mile-and-hour speed today, killing between 38 and 50 persons and injuring about 125.

The Red Cross, which hurriedly set up a disaster relief headquarters here, reported that 50 persons were killed and 125 injured.

A check of dead in Naperville mortuary establishments and in hospitals placed the known dead at 38. At least 78 injured were taken to hospitals in Aurora.

Makes Unscheduled Stop

The accident, worst in the railroad's history, occurred when the Advance Flyer, bound for Omaha and Lincoln, Nebr., made an unscheduled stop at this Chicago suburb, the railroad reported, apparently when trouble developed in the undercarriage of the train.

The Diesel-powered Exposition Flyer, bound for San Francisco, rammed into the rear of the Advance Flyer one block from the Naperville station, in view of scores of persons.

The two west-bound trains left Chicago at 12:35 p. m. (Central Standard Time.)

The impact sent the Diesel engine a half length through the interior of the Advance Flyer's rear coach, throwing the bodies of some victims from the windows of the passenger car. The sides of the metal coach were rent asunder and turned back like cardboard, witnesses said.

Bodies Piled Alongside

Relief workers quickly removed the bodies of dead and the injured from the car, piling them along the right of way between the coach and a fence paralleling the line. All available doctors, nurses and ambulances were summoned.

The Red Cross sent 11 ambulances, first aid crews and relief equipment.

The accident took a toll of dead and injured of between one third and one half of the number of passengers on both trains. The Burlington estimated the Advance Flyer carried between 175 and 200 passengers in its nine cars and the Exposition Flyer from 150 to 200.

Edward Flynn, executive vice president of the railroad, said a check of the signal system showed it was in perfect operation for normal safe operation of trains and that the engineer of the second train had a warning to stop for 2 miles in advance of the point of collision.

Traveling 3 Minutes Apart

The trains left Union Station, Chicago, at 12:35 p m. (Central Standard Time), Flynn said, and at Downers Grove, 6 miles east of the collision, they were traveling three minutes apart. This distance, the official said, is a safe separation on an automatic block signal trunk.

Flynn said the collision occurred on a clear section of track approximately 1100 feet west of a "wide vision" curve. At the curve, he said, was a red block signal warning oncoming trains to stop. An-

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3 Washington Women Injured in Wreck

Press services reported three Washington women were among those injured in the Illinois wreck yesterday. They were Ruth Peters, Leona Sayler and Gertrude Blanquist, none of whom was identified further.

Canada Acquits Scientist of Spying

Ottawa, April 25 (U.P.).—Dr. David Shugar, scientist and former naval lieutenant charged with Russian espionage action against the Canadian government, was acquitted today on grounds of insufficient evidence. Shugar's acquittal was the first for any of the 14 persons charged.

Rescue Workers Search Train Wreckage for Dead, Injured

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

Scene of the Burlington Railroad's Exposition Flyer wreck yesterday at Naperville, Ill., near Chicago. Firemen stand on car roof as rescue workers search the wreckage for dead and injured. Locomotive (left), crashed into the rear of an advance Flyer

Conversion Sought by 1947

Use of Straight Natural Gas Is Planned for District Area

The Washington Gas Light Co. yesterday announced plans to give all metropolitan area consumers straight natural gas.

Marcy L. Sperry, president of the company, has announced that his company is filing applications today with the Public Service Commission of Maryland and the State Corporation Commission of Virginia for use of natural gas. Later, a similar application will be filed with the Public Utilities Commission in the District.

Filing of the applications, Sperry said, is the first step in a vast change-over program which will include tapping the new Texas-West Virginia pipeline, to give most suburban areas straight natural gas before the start of the 1946-47 heating season.

The conversion, he said, will be completed as rapidly as fixture changes can be made on appliances now used by more than 250,000 consumers. Such fixture adjustments will be made at company expense. Complete conversion in the District will not be reached until October of 1947.

Metropolitan area consumers now use a mixture of natural gas from the Appalachian area and manufactured gas, with an odorant added. The natural gas still will contain an odorant as a safety precaution.

Sperry said the company anticipates no immediate rate decrease and added that continued use of mixed gas would require "large investments in new facilities" which

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U. N. Vigil on Spain Proposed by U. S.

Russia Demands 'Real' Action, Even At Cost of Civil War

By Charles M. McCann

New York, April 25 (U.P.).—The United States proposed today that the United Nations Security Council keep a constant watch on Franco Spain and be ready to take instant action if it threatened peace, through a continuing investigation committee.

Russia, dissatisfied with mere investigating, talking and watching, retorted with a demand for real action against the Franco regime even at the cost of a new Spanish civil war.

Poland, France and Mexico joined with Russia in trying to force a resolution which would commit the Council—in advance of an investigation—to some sort of action.

But the Council, after more than three hours of debate over resolutions, amendments and revisions of resolutions and amendments, adjourned until 11 a. m. tomorrow in the hope that private conferences during the night might result in unanimous agreement.

It was decided that the chief delegates of Australia, Poland and France—all of whom had advanced various proposals—should get together and try to draft a joint resolution on the basis of Australia's demand for a five-man fact-finding investigation of the Franco regime.

Thte three delegates met in the lounge at the U. N. headquarters after the meeting. Over drinks they found they all had dinner engagements. They agreed to meet again late tonight.

Council debate degenerated, on the surface, into a battle of commas, semi-colons and phrases. But as it dragged on it was apparent under the surface that more was at stake.

Fights for Investigation

Australia was fighting for an investigation which would get the facts and then let the Council decide whether Spain was a threat to peace. Russia, France and Poland, supported by Mexico, wanted to get the Council to condemn the Franco regime in advance and consider what the Poles called "practical steps" for dealing with it. A Council majority led by the United States and Britain supports Australia.

Australia amended its own original proposal by leaving out a direction to the investigating committee to seek part of its facts from the Franco regime. In the revised version this question is left open and the committee would be instructed simply to "call for further statements, documents and evidence and to conduct such inquiries as it may deem necessary."

Would Keep It Alive

United States Chief Delegate Edward R. Stettinius, jr., supporting an Australian plan for a council subcommittee on Spain, suggested that instead of making one report and ending its work, the committee be kept alive as long as Franco is in office.

Then the council would be in position at any time, Stettinius urged, to decide whether, as Poland, Russia, France and Mexico allege, Generalissimo Francisco Franco's government is a threat to world peace.

But Russian Chief Delegate Andrei A. Gromyko, opening another Big Three fight, angrily denounced what he called a continuance of "the same old story—insufficient evidence for action" and of "the unhappy and bankrupt methods of the past."

Answering arguments that the situation in Spain must be solved without the shedding of Spanish blood in internal warfare, Gromyko said:

"Civil war in some countries has not always had a bad effect. The historical place and significance of the Civil War in the United States is well known. . . .

"It is the task of the United Nations . . . to help the Spanish people . . . to take back to themselves the democratic freedoms that have been taken away from them."

Bonnet Asks Amendment

Henri Bonnet, France, asked that the Australian investigation proposal be amended so that the committee would recommend "practical measures" which the U. N. might take against Franco and thus "give encouragement to republican elements."

The Netherlands and Mexico supported the Australian plan. Poland appealed for action which would not give "aid and comfort to a Fascist regime."

Dr. Oscar Lange, Poland, suggested that the council pass a resolution denouncing the Franco regime and name a committee to draft a resolution for "practical steps to be taken."

Russia, France and Poland were all fighting to get into any resolution something that would commit the council to action of some sort against Franc.

Opening the council meeting, Australian Chief Delegate Col. W. R. Hodgson himself suggested minor revisions of his proposal—such as giving the committee additional time for study and to have it report the facts it obtains to the council so that he councilmen themselves may decide what to do.

Adoption Is Urged

United States Chief Delegate Stettinius, praising Hodgson's "wise proposal," urged its adoption in substance and he repeated this country's objection to the Polish resolution asking the Council to break with Generalissimo Francisco Franco's government.

Stettinius said bluntly that the State Department had first hand information from its own sources in Spain which disagreed with the charges outlined by Lange.

The United States, Stettinius emphasized, has not changed its disapproval of the Franco regime. What it wants, he said, is to act on facts. The proposed committee could get the facts, he said, and then the Council could carry out its obligation t oact on them, whatever they indicated. But Poland, Stettinius said, has not shown that there is a situation in Spain which might lead to international friction.

Stettinius said he hoped investigators would pay particular attention to Nazis known to be in Spain. He estimated that about 2200 undesirable Germans remained.

President Hafez Afifi Pasha, Egypt, reminded the delegates at the start that today was the anniversary of the charter-writing U.N. conference in San Francisco. He read a telegram from Mayor Roger Lapham of San Francisco congratulating the U.N. on the progress it has made.

Won't Alter Bill

Naval Unit Plans Study Of Merger

The Senate Naval Committee announced yesterday it will hold its own hearings on the proposed merger of the armed forces, but Chairman Walsh (D., Mass.) said it is "not going to smother" the legislation.

Walsh indicated that on the contrary his group will not alter the unification measure which already has been recommended by the Senate Military Committee.

"We will study it and then report it back to the Senate," he told a reporter. "If we have changes or suggested amendments they then can be offered in the Senate."

Walsh said Chairman Elbert Thomas (D., Utah) of the Military Committee will be the initial witness before the Navy Committee next Tuesday in a closed session. Thomas is one of the authors of the merger bill.

Walsh said that Secretary of the Navy Forrestal and Fleet Admiral Chester W. Nimitz also will be asked to testify during the hearings.

The surprise agreement to send the controversial unification legislation to the Navy Committee was worked out yesterday between Walsh, Majority Leader Barkley (D., Ky.) and Thomas.

Barkley said reference of the merger bill to the Navy Committee was "only courtesy" and probably would cause "less friction" than an attempt to get Senate approval directly.

GOP Names Kelsey In Congress Race

Suffolk, Va., April 25 (AP).—Sidney Kelsey, 35-year-old Norfolk attorney and World War II veteran, was unanimously nominated for Congress by Republicans of the Second District here today.

The convention also adopted a "declaration of principles" labeling the Truman Administration "a confused, do-nothing administration, lacking efficiency, economy and statesmanship," and calling for abandonment of what was termed Virginia's "one party plan, now controlled by the Byrd machine."

Kelsey's opponent in the November election will be determined in the August 6 Democratic primary. Representative Ralph H. Daughton of Norfolk is opposed for the Democratic nomination by Porter Hardy, jr., Churchland.

They Met in the ETO . . .

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

EISENHOWER'S AIDES MARRY—Capt. Burr N. Johnson, jr., and his bride, the former Frances Norman Smith, 22, a Wac sergeant, cut their wedding cake at the reception following their wedding Wednesday in the Little Church Around the Corner, in New York City. Both were attached to Gen. Dwight Eisenhower's headquarters in the ETO during the war. The bride, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Edward M. Smith of New York, was the general's secretary. Captain Johnson, now assigned to duty at Fort Belvoir, Va., is from Syracuse, N. Y. They will make their home in Washington

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communique describing the opening ceremonies but omitting any reference to possible disagreements. Rules of procedure were adopted, the bulletin said.

Bidault won the fight for France to sit in, but without a vote, on the discussions of all peace treaties. The original schedule adopted at Moscow last December would have restricted French participation to the Italian treaty.

American and British representatives were surprised when Molotov, reversing suddenly a Soviet policy of six months' duration, declared the Soviet Union had no objection to French observers attending discussions of treaties with the Balkans and Finland.

Under the ministers' decision, the United States will also sit in without a vote on discussions for a peace treaty with Finland, restricted originally to Britain and Russia.

Caused Postponement

The deadlock over writing the peace treaties had caused postponement of the European Peace Conference of 21 nations, which had been scheduled in Paris on May 1.

At Byrnes' suggestion, Bidault presided at the opening session of the conference in the Victor Hugo salon of Luxembourg Palace. Under rules adopted by the ministers, the presidency will be rotated, with British Foreign Minister Ernest Bevin presiding tomorrow followed by Molotov and Byrnes.

Byrnes, in a brief opening speech, expressed pleasure at being able to attend such a conference in the liberated French capital.

The deputy foreign ministers will meet each morning and map the day's agenda to be submitted to their chiefs in the afternoon.

As the ministers gathered in the conference room, Byrnes shook hands warmly with Molotov and Soviet Vice Commissar Andrei J. Vishinsky, walking across the floor to greet them. Bevin nodded at the Russians upon entering the room.

The Soviet delegation was seated between the Americans and the British. The French were on the left of the Americans.

Senator Tom Connally (D., Tex.) sat on Byrnes' right while Byrnes' personal assistant, Charles E. Bohlen, was on his left next to Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg (R., Mich.)

Members of both the American and Russian delegations appeared in good humor.

Although streets leading to the palace were lined with crowds, there were no demonstrations as the foreign diplomats arrived.

The palace was decorated with the flags of the four nations, and was surrounded by hundreds of policemen who kept the square in front of the building cleared of spectators.

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other 6684 feet east of the red signal was a yellow caution board.

The engineer of an oncoming train, Flynn stated, would have a clear vision of the caution board three-quarters of a mile away from it.

E. H. Crayton, Galesburg, Ill., fireman on the Exposition Flyer was killed. The engineer, W. W. Blaine of Gales burg, was injured.

Sailors Among Dead

Four sailors were among the passengers killed. Their identification tags were missing and their names were not learned immediately.

The front trucks of the Exposition Flyer's Diesel locomotive were sheared off when the engine telescoped into the Advance Flyer. The rear coach of the Advance Flyer telescoped nearly half the length of its adjoining dining car. The third coach from the end of the Advance Flyer was turned over and the fourth and fifth coaches were derailed.

Rescue workers said nearly all of those killed were in the last two coaches of the Advance Flyer.

Five coaches of the Exposition Flyer were derailed and two of them were slightly telescoped. None, however, turned over.

A total of 35 bodies were brought to three Naperville undertaking establishments.

Three of the 75 injured persons taken to St. Charles Hospital in Aurora died shortly after arrival.

Identification Delayed

Identification of the victims was delayed by the lack of facilities in this small Chicago suburban community.

Ferne Hoeft, a reporter for the Naperville Sun, who was at her home a block away from the scene, said bodies literally were squeezed from the windows of the last coach.

Miss Hoeft said she was leaving for her office when she heard the crash "which sounded like a big explosion followed by a lot of smaller explosions."

She rushed to the scene of the wreck, and found an injured dining car employe lying along the right of way.

"He said he was cold, so I gave him my coat. Then I looked at the last coach. I could see people sticking out of the windows. A part of a leg dropped from a window of the coach. There were moans and cries.

The rear coach of the Advance Flyer was a nonstreamline steel car. The next to last car on this train was a streamline observation car. The third car from the end turned oye ron its side but the other cars remained standing, but tilted. All cars of the Advance Flyer remained upright.

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until the Interstate Commerce Commission has passed on an application for increased fares.

McCutcheon said he understood that the union members had already voted to approve a strike. He said he did not know whether the Ballston meeting might become a "continuous" meeting—tantamount to a strike.

The contract between the company, also known as the Arnold Lines, and the union expires May 18.

Affected Areas Listed

According to company officials, the line carried 1,250,000 persons last month. Areas which would be left without normal bus service in event of a strike are:

Arlington, Fairfax, Falls Church, Clarendon, Westover, Arlington Forest, Colonial Valley, Langley, McLean, Tyson's Corner, Vienna, Sharkey, Oakton.

Terminal points in Washington are at 11th st. nw. between E and F sts. and at 9th st. and Constitution ave.

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eral railroad walkout since the historic Pullman strike of 1894. To prevent suspension of rail transportation, the Government could seize and operate the roads, but before that, railroad sources in Washington pointed out, President Truman might appoint a second emergency board to avert a tie-up.

Precedent Set by Roosevelt

These sources said a precedent for such action was set by the late President Roosevelt when findings of a first board were rejected by or were objectionable to railroad employes' organizations.

The board in the present dispute was appointed March 8, after the trainmen and engineers originally set a March 11 deadline for the beginning of a progressive strike.

Under the Railway Labor Act, the board appointment automatically delayed a walkout before the board's report to the President, and the law requires a status quo for 30 days after.

Recommendations were for a 16-cent hourly wage increase and certain rules changes. The brotherhoods asked for wage increases averaging 25 per cent and 45 changes in working rules.

Among the changes were:

A 10-cent hourly differential in pay for night work.

Sick leave, based on length of service.

Time and one-half overtime pay for Saturday and Sunday work.

Limitation of train lengths to 70 cars and 3000 feet for freight trains and 14 cars and 1400 feet for passenger trains.

No Benefits to Stewards

In addition, the board granted no benefits to dining car stewards, and this was one of the issues of greatest contention.

Recommended were a few changes proposed by carriers. Whitney had said earlier that recommendation of any of the 29 changes proposed by carriers would be the "signal for a strike."

Trainmen and engineers, with a combined membership of 293,000, represent 15 per cent of all railroad employes in the country. The trainmen's membership, numbering about 215,000, embraces brakemen, flagmen, dining care stewards, yard masters, yard men, switch tenders, baggage men and about two-thirds of the country's conductors.

A strike would tie up 348 railroad lines and terminals—all the trunk lines and most feeders. Only troop trains, hospital trains and milk trains would move, Whitney said.

Smaller Loaves

Britain Cuts Use of Flour, Beer Barley

London, April 25 (AP).—The British government tonight ordered a 12½ per cent reduction in the use of flour for domestic bread production and a 15 per cent cut in the amount of barley to be used for beer making.

The new grain economies, listed in a statement from Prime Minister Attlee's Downing Street residence, will give British housewives a standardized bread loaf of 1¾ pounds, instead of 2 pounds, without a reduction in price.

The measures were agreed upon at a special two-hour meeting of the cabinet as an "additional contribution" to countries faced with acute food shortages, the statement said.

The cabinet also confirmed a previous decision to divert 200,000 tons of grain from local stocks and from shipments scheduled to arrive during April and May to countries where the shortage is greatest. Replacement of these diversions has been promised by the United States and Canadian governments.

Barley for beer will be reduced to 90 per cent of prewar production. With current production at 5.42 per cent above the prewar figure, the cut will represent a 15 per cent loss for beer drinkers.

The decision not to decrease the price of 9 cents for a loaf of bread, despite its smaller size, is intended to discourage the purchase of a second loaf by consumers, a spokesman said.

Hoover At Bangalore

Bangalore, Mysore, India, April 25 (U.P.).—Former President Herbert Hoover arrived at Bangalore today for a quick tour of famine-stricken Mysore before going on to Bangkok.

Vienna, Va., Boy Still Missing; May Be on Way to N.Y.

A 10-year-old Vienna, (Va.) boy, Joseph B. Joynt, USA, and members of his family expressed the conviction that Joe had thumbed a ride at Tyson's Corner and had possibly headed for New York where he lived before the war.

The family based their belief that a Washington communter had probably picked him up on the fact that Joe and his dog, "Skippy," were inseparable and the dog would not have returned, as he did, soon after the boy left unless his youthful master had got into a car.

Jury Disagrees in Test Case On Short-Measure Sales

The District's short-measure ice cream trial ended inconclusively yesterday after three days, with a Municipal Court jury failing to reach a decision.

A "hung jury" was declared after two hours' deliberation when the jurors reported they were in "hopeless disagreement."

Stating he has "not yet decided" whether he will call for a new trial, Assistant Corporation Counsel Clark King, who prosecuted the test case, declared after the verdict was announced:

"I think the District has accomplished its purpose in that the retailers now know they have to give full measure or they will be prosecuted."

The remaining defendant in the case was Harold Hemminger, who formerly operated Harold's Ice Cream Shop, 1783 Columbia rd. He has since sold that store. A second defendant when the trial opened, Samuel Steinberg, associated with the Courthouse Pharmacy at 3d and E sts nw., was acquitted the previous day on a directed verdict. Defense evidence showed that that business is operated by a corporation, while Steinberg was charged as an individual.

The chief contention of the defense during the trial was that it is impossible for retailers to pack bulk ice cream in the manner literally laid down by District law and interpreted by the measurement inspectors.

Judge Armond Scott said, while the jury was not present, that the law seems to exact "complying with something that it is impossible to comply with." The prosecution contended that the defendant was not accused of short measure for "a few drops" or an ounce or two of ice cream, but "6 full ounces."

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would lead to inevitable rate boosts. He hailed the conversion as a "forward step in enabling the company to expande its services."

In addition the change-over program will retain some of the company's production facilities to reduce peak load demands, assure an adequate supply of gas and serve as a safeguard in event of temporary curtailment in supply, he said.

The stand-by equipment will produce a richer type of manufactured gas—one comparable in heat value to natural gas.

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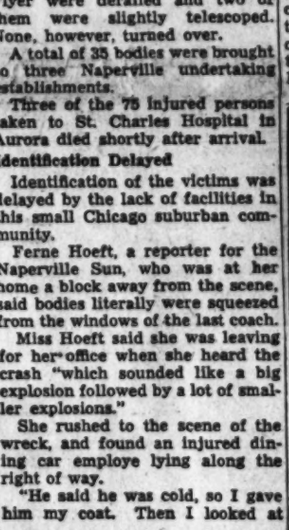

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May 5 Date To Be Sought For Food Drive

By Dorothea Andrews
Post Reporter

The District Commissioners will be asked to set aside May 5 as the day when Washingtonians will pledge their support to the food conservation program under a plan advanced yesterday.

Raymond F. Garrity, chairman of the Washington Food Conservation Committee, told a meeting of the group yesterday afternoon that the program will depend of all organizations which are representative of Washington, and that two of its most important elements will be expressed through churches and schools.

The churches, he said, are needed to put the idea of food conservation closer to the people of Washington "because there is something religious about this program."

Garrity said also that a contest to develop a slogan for the local campaign will be carried out through Washington's radio stations. He asked local organizations to select speakers for their groups who will emphasize the program which the local committee is pledged to carry out in Washington.

The food committee chairman said that in order to utilize the support of the public and private schools in Washington, teachers may be asked to "sell" the program to their students.

"No group," he said, "is more impressionable than the children, and when they know the story of what is happening to the children of Europe, they will take our message into their homes and into their hearts."

The conservation that is expected of each Washingtonian is "very simple," Garrity said. Every one is being asked:

1. To save on wheat products at least 40 per cent. This means cutting down on bread, pastries, cookies and pies.

2. To save on edible fats and oils, such as butter, lard, salad oils. In cooking of foods, broil rather than fry.

3. To utilize left-overs. (Garrity said that he understood the restaurants and hotels "could feed a large city in Europe from their leftovers in wheat products." He added, however, that proper food conservation will of itself eliminate many such leftovers.)

4. To continue growing victory gardens.

"Originally," Garrity said, "we spoke of this campaign lasting until July 1. Now, however, it looks as though it will have to continue through August."

The food chairman said that wheat quotas are not being met, and that only the fullest success of the voluntary program and the Government set-aside program for wheat will save millions of people from dying.

Dr. Frederick A. Reissig of the Washington Federation of Churches told other committeemen that the churches are "more than eager to cooperate in every way possible with the aims of food conservation."

Cooperation also was pledged by J. Clifford Folger, speaking for the American Red Cross; Robert J. Wilson, executive secretary of the Washington Restaurant Association; Arthur J. Harnett, who spoke for the Hotel Association of Washington, and Kirk Miller, Safeway Stores official.

L. H. Neville Thompson, chairman of the veterans joint committee; Bob White of the American veterans committee, and Fred L. Walker of the Central Labor Union, all assured the committee of their groups' willingness to cooperate in the food program.

Others who spoke were: Mrs. O. D. Rush, supervisor of home economics for the District public schools, who suggested that specific information on food conservation be published; Mrs. Arthur C. Watkins of the District Parent-Teacher Association, and Mrs. O. G. Hankins of the District Federation of Women's Clubs.

Attend Funeral of Chief Justice . . .

Associated Press Photos

President Truman (left), preceded by the Very Rev. John W. Suter, dean of the Cathedral, arrives to attend the simple services for Chief Justice Stone. Mrs. Truman is behind the dean. Former Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes, 84 (right), also attended

Liquor Permits Granted Six in Prince Georges

The Prince Georges County license commission yesterday granted six new liquor licenses and seven liquor license transfers to applicants but withheld one transfer after learning of a family dispute.

The commissioners continued for one month the application of John Joseph Mezza and Leone Mezza for transfer of the beer, wine and liquor license held by Benny Bass at Benny's Tavern, 3808 38th st., Brentwood.

Bass explained that his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith, owners of the property, refused to sign the application for a new license. He holds a lease, his attorney said, adding that Bass and the Smiths have litigation pending in Circuit Court over property matters.

The commission exonerated Norman Shields, operator of the Muirkirk Inn, of a charge that he falsified his liquor license application, after he explained that he owned property in the District and thus had District tags for his automobile, but that he actually resides a Muirkirk Inn.

Warning was given to Frank Grayson, owner, and Charles Johnson, manager of a Bowie beer tavern, against further alleged violations of Saturday and Sunday night closing hours and selling to minors.

Mertie F. Hall, of the Laurel-Bowie rd., Laurel, was denied a beer license on the grounds that she was unable to claim a clear title to the property.

The six new licenses and seven transfers, which were approved, are:

Hyman Dansinger, Lillian Dansinger and Nellie Wiley, beer, wine and liquor, for sale off the premises, Silver Dollar, Inc., 114 Washington Blvd., Laurel.

McKinley N. Curtis, beer, wine and liquor, off sale, 1005 Eastern ave., Fairmount Heights.

Walter W. Carr, beer, wine and liquor, on sale, Ima Pig Barbecue, Muirkirk.

Edward L. Mahoney, beer, on sale generally, West Lanham Speedway, Lanham.

Raymond C. Anderson and TThomas M. Reihm, beer, wine and liquor, off sale, Delaware Inn, Baltimore blvd., Muirkirk.

James Lewis Phillips, beer, wine and liquor, off sale, General Store, Accokeek.

Fannie J. Riddle and Anna M. Mele, from Lawrence R. Keegin, beer and light wine, on sale, Royal Restaurant, 5811 Baltimore blvd., Riverdale.

Benjamin Bessel, from Abraham and Gertrude Schrier, beer, wine and liquor, off sale, Hoffman's, 3911 Rhode Island ave., Brentwood.

Leon Ellis, from Edward B. Ellis, beer, wine and liquor, off sale, Ellis Food Market, 335-337 Main st., Laurel.

Nicholas Gavrilles, from Pete Gravrilles, beer, on sale, 385 Main st., Laurel.

Hyman L. Gordon, from Ailes Novos, beer, off sale, 4301 30th st., Mount Rainier.

Simon Wolfman, from Rose Mesit, beer and light wine, off sale, Arnold's Market, 6516 Central ave., Maryland Park.

Sterling V. Beaver, from Thelma E. Fox, beer, wine and liquor, on sale, Fox's Hotel and Restaurant, Baltimore blvd. and Main st., Laurel.

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mentioned and that was in a deeply moving prayer by his old friend, the Rev. Dr. James.

"Almighty God," he petitioned, "the giver of all good gifts, we render thee our loving thanks that thou didst give unto us who knew him our friend, Harlem Stone. Not as a great public officer do we remember him now, but as a friend; understanding, companionable, kind, true, humble, simple of heart, courageous; one to whom we looked for clear direction in perplexity; one who never failed us when we needed him. We cannot recount all that he did for us, all that he was to us. But in gratitude and love we commend him to thy fatherly keeping. May he rest in peace and may light perpetual shine upon him."

The service was begun by Dean Suter, with the memorable and sustaining words of the Savior:

"I am the resurrection and the life, saith the Lord; he that believeth in me, though he were dead yet shall he live; and whoever liveth in me, shall never die."

All present then joined with Dean Suter in reading responsively the 46th Psalm: "God is our hope and strength; a very present hope in trouble. . . . The Lord of Hosts is with us; the God Jacob is our refuge."

The choir, directed by Paul Calloway, organist and choirmaster, then sang the Twenty-third Psalm with its promise of peace and support in adversity.

The lesson was read by the Rev. Dr. James from the fifteenth chapter of Paul's First Epistle to the Corinthians:

"Death is swallowed up in victory.

"O death, where is thy sting? O grave, where is thy victory?

". . . But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ."

Offers Prayer for Court

Bishop Dun then offered a prayer for the Supreme Court of the United States.

"O Righteous God, before whose throne shall be gathered all the nations and whose word is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart: Give, we pray thee, to the members of the Supreme Court of the United States, a wise and an understanding heart to judge thy people, that they may discern between good and bad, ever walking before thee in truth and in uprightness; that so this Nation may grow from age to age in obedience to thy laws; through Him who shall come to be our Judge, thy Son, our Savior, Jesus Christ."

After the Lord's Prayer has been recited by all present, the Anthem was sung by the choir, the benediction was offered and the casket was borne from the vaulted room, heavy with the scent of flowers, into the rain. It was preceded by the President and his party and followed by Justice Stone's family.

Mr. Truman left immediately for Quantico, Va., where he boarded the yacht Williamsburg to resume his short vacation cruise.

Charlottesville Youth Center Discussed

Charlottesville, Va., April 25 (Spl.)—A public discussion of the need for a teenage canteen here, held under the ahspices of the Council Agencies at the courthouse yesterday, was followed by adoption of a resolution for Council sponsorship of some sort of youth center.

Army Tightens Discipline in European Area

Frankfurt, Germany, April 25 (AP).—Gen. Joseph T. McNarney said today he had instituted a rigorous five-point program for combatting deterioration of discipline and morale among American troops in Europe, including new training programs and more strict control of curfew.

Admitting that both discipline and morale had declined seriously within the last few months, the European commander told a news conference he had issued orders that "prompt and corrective measures must be taken to remove the cause, deal swiftly and justly with the offenders, and prevent any future occurrences."

Corrective Measures Listed

Listed by McNarney as "corrective measures" were:

1. New training programs "in addition to the normal training programs for occupational duties" designed to leave the soldiers less idle time or unused energy to get into trouble.

2. Requirements that soldiers must have special passes to be out of their billets after 11 p. m., with only those having good conduct records granted such passes and the rule enforced by frequent checks.

3. More rigid control of firearms with court martial for those who carry weapons illegally.

4. Swift punishment of lawlessness or offenses against civilians.

5. More intensive control of venereal disease.

McNarney disclosed yesterday he had issued orders to tighten discipline among troops. Today, in addition to revealing details of his orders, he reiterated his belief that rapid redeployment, heavy turnover in personnel and inexperienced replacements were the principal factors in the decline in discipline.

Yesterday McNarney had cited as examples of weakened Army discipline black market sales, drunkenness, high automobile accident rate, general lack of smartness in appearance and military courtesy, and an excessive venereal disease rate.

Maj. Claude M. Eberhart, Chicago, veneral disease control officer of the European theater, said Army medical officers had recommended reimposition of "real garrison life" with emphasis on drill field exercises to combat the high venereal disease rate among American occupation troops.

The veneral disease rate had risen from 52 cases per thousand soldiers per year on V-E Day to highs of 427 cases in some areas, Eberhart said. While new measures to enforce treatment of German girls have resulted in a leveling off to an average of 211 cases at present, he said, "there is no guarantee that the rate won't continue to skyrocket."

Hunger Causes Promiscuity

"Food shortages as they grow worse will increase the promiscuity of girls. . . .

"One of the few alternatives is to enforce Army discipline, with emphasis on drills, reviews, parades, tightening of courtesy and general discipline, and a reinstitution of military calls such as retreat and reveille.

"This not only will keep the idle soldier off the streets but will give him pride in being a soldier.

"Right now many soldiers have no pride and men without pride don't care with whom they sleep."

War Orphan Gets First Visa to U. S.

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

BELLA RAPHAEL,

whose parents were murdered by the Gestap in Oswiecim, Germany, was awarded the first visa to the United States to be granted by the newly-opened Berlin consulate. She was adopted by Sergt. Bert Simmons of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Fritz Kuhn Freed; Would Like to Return to America

Asperg, Germany, April 25 (AP).—Fritz Kuhn, onetime leader of the German-American Bund who "would go back to the States in a minute if I could," was freed from Hohen-Asperg Prison today, vowing that he was through withpolitics forever.

"I just want to live a private life," said the man who once proudly harangued thousands in Madison Square Garden, who has been a prisoner of the U. S. Government for 6½ years.

United States authorities say Kuhn is a political unknown in Germany and non-dangerous to American occupation troops.

He was driven to the railway station to entrain for Munich where his wife, 22-year-old son, and 19-year-old daughter live. In detention, Kuhn has been getting 2600 calories of food a day, but now must live like other Germans on 1275. His home will be three rooms on the ground floor of a Munich house.

Torch Death of Va. Man Is Declared Suicide

Marion, Va., April 25 (AP).—Dr. D. C. Boatwright, Smyth County coroner, reported that Avery Heath, 56, of Cleghorn Valley, 10 miles northwest of Marion, took his own life yesterday by saturating his clothing with gasoline and setting himself afire.

Dr. Boatwright stated that he was told by members of the family that Heath had been in ill health for some time.

The coroner said that a gasoline can and a box of matches were found near the body.

Barbers practiced surgery in Europe until the early eighteenth century.

On the first Atlantic cable, the rate for transmission was $1 a letter.

Famine Grain Shipments Far Behind Goal

By John W. Ball
Post Reporter

America's program for famine relief met two stiff jolts yesterday when official reports showed relief shipments of wheat far behind schedule and wheat stocks on hand in the United States startlingly low.

In the first 20 days of April the United States failed to meet its promises of wheat for export to starvation areas by 198,000 tons, the Department of Agriculture announced. That brings the deficit in America's comitment since January 1 to 512,000 tons.

So far this year America has shipped 3,155,000 long tons of wheat to a famine-scourged world. Its promise for this period was 3,667,000 tons.

Believed Impossible

"In order to meet the April goal of 1,100,000 tons it is necessary to ship 632,000 tons in the 10 days from April 21 to 30," the department said. "It is almost certain that this will be impossible."

The recently announced bonus plan for wheat and corn purchases and the order to reduce domestic use of wheat to 75 per cent of the consumption in 1945 will "sharply increase the flow of wheat from the farms" in May and June, department officals predicted.

They are hopeful this increase will help make up some of the deficit.

The first bad news of the day yesterday came when the quarterly crop report for stocks of wheat in all positions was made public.

That report showed less wheat in the United States now than at any time since 1938.

The total wheat in the United States was given as 339 million bushels. This is 60 per cent of the total a year ago. It falls far short of estimates deemed necessary for this country to meet all obligations.

The statement by the crop reporting board indicated that the startling nature of the report was due to the surprising "disappearance" of wheat during the quarter from January 1 to April 1.

This "disappearance" totaled about 351 million bushels. A year ago during the same period the "disappearance" of wheat totaled about 272 million; in 1944 it was 273 million and in 1943, 257 million bushels.

This "disappearance" is attributed by the department to (1), heavier feeding of wheat than expected (2), larger milling and heavier exports than was indicated.

"This continues the accelerated movement which has marked the period since July 1, 1945," the department report stated, "and results in lower stocks in each of the five storage positions than on April 1, of any of the last three years."

The total is made up of 204 million bushels on farms (as reported April 10); 37½ million bushels in interior mills, elevators and warehouses; 56 million bushels at merchant mills; 34½ millions in commercial stocks at terminals; and 7 millions owned by the Commodity Credit Corporation (which purchases grain for the Government for relief purposes). No estimate is made of grain in transit, except a portion of the small amount owned by the CCC.

The report compared with previous reports as follows:

April 1, 1946, 338,644; Jan. 1, 1946, 589,844; April 1, 1945, 362,974; April 1, 1944, 544,817; April 1, 1943, 901,216.

The lowest report in recent years was reached on April 1, 1937, after years of recurring drought, when only 211 million bushels were reported.

The highest was in 1943 when 901,216 were reported — almost three times the present figure.

Guessing the effect of the present wheat position on the Government's relief program was a favorite diversion around the Agriculture Department late in the day.

Many agreed that the report indicates that even with the curtailment on domestic use of flour and the limitation of wheat inventories to 21 days supply, the relief program can be met only with extreme difficulty.

The restriction on the use of flour is hoped by some to cut domestic consumption from about 135 million bushels a quarter to as low as 97 million. The Government hopes to export 125 million bushels under the relief program. With a minimum carryover of 125 million bushels, 12 million for seeding the spring wheat crop and 25 million for animal feeding, the program calls for 384 million bushels. That amount cannot be met with only 334 million bushels in the country.

Farmers are responding to the Government's bonus plan for corn sales, the Department announced yesterday. The Government last Friday promised a bonus of 30 cents a bushel for 50 million bushels of corn marketed before May 25.

The Department called the response "immediate and enthusiastic," although no figures of corn receipts were given.

The Government announced that the corn so bought will be (1) exported as whole grain for human consumption, (2) exported as processed meal and grits, and (3) supplied to domestic processors for the manufacture of essential products approved by the department. The latter are such things as starches needed by basic industries such as steel, textile, pharmeceutical and paper.

None of the corn purchased under this program, the department said, will be used as feed.

In carrying forward its educational program in connection with famine relief, the Agriculture Department plans distribution of real life movies of starvation conditions overseas.

Two films are now being distributed. They are entitled "Freedom and Famine" and "Suffer Little Children."

Takoma Park Woman Starts Block Teas to Aid Food Drive

A plan to help feed starving people in other lands through "block teas" has been organized by Mrs. Edith Hayes of Takoma Park, Md.

Mrs. Hayes, who was distressed because she felt no one in Montgomery County was doing anything on a large scale to help, will give the first "block tea" on Sunday from 5 to 6 p. m. at her home at 20 Westmoreland ave.

Under the "block tea" plan there will be a chairman of each block in a town or community, to be known as a block leader. The block leader will give a tea, to which residents of the block may bring needed supplies, help wrap packages (1 nunits of 11 pounds, and submit names of any families they know in Europe which are ill fed.

Mrs. Hayes says the greatest need is for block chairmen. "I will carry out the plan and help organize the system to see that the project gets off to a good start."

Mrs. Hayes already has presented her block plan to the Montgomery County Quota Club, of which she is president. Members responded so well that many pledged to begin the plan in their own communities in the county.

Mrs. Hayes, who is a teller at the Suburban National Bank in Takoma Park, said yesterday that anyone in Montgomery County who has names of friends or relatives in Europe may call her at Sligo 2231 after 5 p. m. She now is working out a plan to set up a clearing house for names, to prevent duplication.

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German Denounces Nazi Hierarchy

Former Gestapo Officer Tells Tribunal Of Plots; Says All But Schacht Are Guilty

Nuernberg, April 25 (AP).—A German defense witness told the International Military Tribunal today that all except Hjalmar Schacht of the Nazi prisoners on trial here should be convicted and punished because they "are responsible for the misery brought upon Germany and the world."

The witness, Hans Bernd Gisevius, former Gestapo officer, also declared that Hermann Goering had devised frame-ups leading to dismissal of both Col. Gen. Werner von Fritsch, army chief of staff, and Field Marshal Werner von Blomberg, war minister, in "the decisive last steps before the outbreak of war."

United States Chief Prosecutor Robert H. Jackson yesterday described Gisevius as "the one representative of democratic forces in Germany to take this stand."

Denounces Most of Hierarchy

Gisevius denounced nearly all the surviving members of the Nazi hierarchy after testifying that he and other anti-Nazis had sought to unseat Hitler, end the war and restore the rule of justice in Germany. He said Schacht, former minister of economics, was prominent among the anti-Hitler plotters.

Jackson asked Gisevius: "What would your group of conspirators have done with these men in the dock here if you had been able to stage a putsch and seize power?"

Gisevius surveyed the defendants, and replied: "We'd have locked them up—all except Schacht—and it would not have been a long wait between sentencing and punishment. We regard them as responsible for the misery brought upon Germany and the world.

Earlier, Gisevius also had given some credit to Wilhelm Frick, former minister of the interior, for trying to prevent or curtail excesses of Goering, Heinrich Himmler and the Gestapo. Gisevius was called as a witness for Frick.

He said he "often regretted we could not catch Hitler, Goering and Himmler together for a chance to assassinate them together."

He denounced Ernst Kaltenbrunner, security police head, as "even worse than that monster (Reinhard) Heydrich," and said Kaltenbrunner and his Gestapo cohorts "discussed at luncheon meetings in gruesome detail their gas chambers and hideous crimes."

Gisevius said Goering forced a common criminal to identify Von Fritsch, in Hitler's presence, as a man guilty of a homosexual attack, even though the Gestapo knew that the culprit was a man named Capt. von Fritsch.

Hitler Became Furious

Goering, the witness continued, also induced Hitler to attend the wedding of Von Blomberg to a carpenter's daughter, and Hitler became furious because he had not known the facts about the "socially impossible" marriage.

Goering, after the wedding, he said, gave Hitler police files showing that Von Blomberg's bride "had been a prostitute registered in seven large German cities, she was in the Berlin rogue's gallery for I myself have seen the pictures and fingerprints, and she had been punished for distributing pornographic pictures."

Hitler dismissed Blomberg.

Gisevius also testified that Joseph Goebbels "first had the idea for burning the Reichstag," and plotted the details with an S. A. brigade leader.

"Right at the start they blamed the Communists. One of the 10 who spread the chemical, an S. A. man named Rau, came later to the Leipzig court and told the whole story in an affidavit, but the Gestapo destroyed that paper and, on orders of Goering, murdered Rau. As far as is known, none of those 10 survives. Most were killed in the Roehm purge," he said.

Gisevius said Field Marshal Erwin Rommel participated in the July, 1944, attempt on Hitler's life, "but it is incorrect to picture Rommel as a fighter against Hitler."

He was a typical party general and joined up only after military disaster," the witness said. "It left a bad taste when this Johnny-come-lately came along with his suggestion that we should kill not only Hitler, but Himmler and Goering too."

Goering laughed broadly at that.

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TILDA THAMAR, sensational Argentine movie actress, established a beachhead at Miami yesterday and announced upon arrival that she was combining pleasure with a goodwill trip. She'll visit New York and Hollywood during her stay in this country, but has "no ambitions" to play in American movies

14 Men From District To Be Inducted Today

Fourteen District men are to report for induction today. They are: Cleveland W. Anderson, Calvin Carter, Lee R. Marrow, Edward Newman, Norbert Brenner, George J. Dube, Jack W. Harper, Daniel B. Johnson, William C. Luce, Henry L. Merkli, Antonio C. Ramos, Daniel Garber jr., Joseph E. Franklin, and Joseph E. Jackson.

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D. C. to Ask Attorney General for 'Loan' of Prisons Director

District Commissioners yesterday announced they will ask the Attorney General for the "loan" of a new director for the Capital's prison system.

In a legal whirl over methods of carrying out prison reforms recommended a week ago by a special congressional investigating committee, the Commissioners—

1. Informed the Board of Public Welfare that it would retain full control over District prisons until proper legislation setting up a new department of corrections is passed.

2. Asked the Welfare Board to take no new action affecting penal institutions without first conferring with the Commissioners.

3. Followed up their dismissal of Howard B. Gill as general superintendent of penal institutions with a vague denial that they implied "ill will" in that action.

Give Views on Action

In a statement on their action ruling out the "without prejudice" clause in the order dismissing Gill, the Commissiners said such action would "have no bearing upon the action which might be taken by the Civil Service Commission."

Meanwhile, Gill was preparing an appeal to Civil Service on the findings of the three-man panel which recommended his dismissal. The panel spent six weeks reviewing charges that Gill destroyed morale at the District jail to such an extent that "his usefulness is at an end."

Earlier, the Commissioners advised Edgar Morris, chairman of the Welfare Board, which filed the charges against Gill, December 6, that they were seeking a new general superintendent.

Legal Snarl Seen

Commissioner J. Russell Young foresaw a legal snarl to the recommendations of the House committee which conducted a sweeping probe of prison conditions after the Medley-McFarland escape, April 3, from the District Jail death house.

The committee urged that the Board of Public Welfare take immediate steps to relinquish its administration of penal institutions to a proposed department of corrections.

As interim action, the Welfare Board was asked to delegate full power to a new corrections director "borrowed" from the Federal Bureau of Prisons.

Young informed the Welfare Board chairman that the only method whereby the proposals "can be substantially met in the immediate future" is for the Welfare Board to announce "as a voluntary policy that it will confer with the Board of Commissioners before taking action on new policies or procedures affecting penal institutions."

The report of the House committee headed by Representative F. Edward Hebert (D., La.) asked for immediate removal of powers over District prisons from the Welfare Board.

Spokesmen for the Attorney General refused to comment as to whether the Federal prisons would lend the District a penologist who would be subject to dictation by the layman welfare body.

The Commissioners, meanwhile, have before them plans for revision of a bill now in Congress which would strip the Welfare Board of all administrative powers over welfare institutions. The revision would set up a new department of corrections to administer penal institutions, leaving other welfare activities under the present board.

Milk Price Raised 1 Cent Quart in New York City

Milk prices were raised 1 cent a quart in New York City yesterday, the Deuartment of Agriculture announced last night.

At the same time a milk subsidy of 20 cents a hundredweigth for fluid milk was lifted. The change will increase the payment to milk distributors more than half a cent a quart. Price per quart to the farmers will not be affected, according to terms of the order of the Office of Price Administration.

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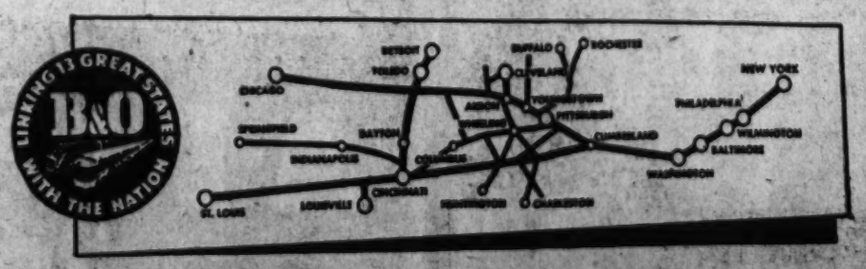

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Adm. Hewitt Flies To Paris Meeting

Navy Commander Gets Orders to Attend Sessions of Big 4 Ministers' Conference

By John G. Norris

Aboard USS Missouri in Algiers Harbor, April 23 (Delayed).—Admiral H. K. Hewitt, commander, American naval forces in Europe, suddenly cut short his Mediterranean goodwill cruise to fly to Paris to attend the Big Four Foreign Ministers meeting.

Hewitt, who is naval adviser to Secretary Byrnes in preparation of peace treaties, had expected to continue the "Show-the-Flag" cruise to Tangier and Gibraltar. Under radio orders just received, he and part of his staff will leave here at noon tomorrow. The Missouri will go ahead with the schedule.

The admiral told reporters he expected the Paris conference to settle the question of disposition of the navies of Germany, Italy and defeated satellite powers, but would be greatly prolonged.

In the past year he has carried on preliminary negotiations with naval representatives of other interested nations. Questioned by newsmen, Hewitt said he believed that France would insist on a weak Italian navy.

The Missouri's visits to Turkey and Greece, said the admiral, has demonstrated the value of American warship visits to foreign ports throughout the world.

Calls Visit A Good Thing

"An occasional visit by major ships is a good thing," he said. "It shows what we have and I believe that we should have permanently in the Mediterranean, a force at least of present strength, plus a few more ships, if available, though the vessels should be rotated, as adequate training is impossible over here."

"You know that all things are unsettled over here, and it's a good thing to have warships nearby in case the Americans need help; also it familiarizes our officers with these waters in case they operate here in the future."

The admiral said he had carried no messages to any countries visited, nor had any special instructions from Washington other than it was desired he make the trip on the Missouri.

On arrival in Algiers today, Admiral Hewitt was welcomed by his old friend Vice Admiral Pierre Roanarch, commander of the French Mediterranean Fleet. The two first met four years ago when Roanarch's greeting was a broadside from the French battleship Jean Bart, narrowly missing Hewitt's flagship, the USS Augusta. The Frenchman was the commander of coastal defenses at Casablanca, including the damaged and uncompleted Jean Bart during the invasion of North Africa.

"We thought the main turret of the Jean Bart was knocked out," said Hewitt. "The French had repaired it and Roanarch, personally directing operations, told the gun crew to hold fire until the Augusta was close in. The first thing we knew, there was a tremendous splash near us. We got out in a hurry."

Discussing the war record of the Italian navy, Hewitt said he always felt it "didn't have a heart in the war as allies of the Germans." He praised the gallant work of Italian PT boats and "limpeteers" and said the entire navy cooperated fully with the Americans after the surrender.

VFW Installs A. E. Croissant At Seat Pleasant

August E. Croissant has been installed as commander of the Strawn, Turner, Hartman post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, of Seat Pleasant, Md.

Other officers are George Hilton, senior vice commander; Paul Noll, junior vice commander; John Faust, chaplain; Forrest Kinkade, quartermaster; Charles T. Saunders, adjutant; James A. Clark, officer of the day; George Armstrong and Joseph Miles, color bearers; William Miles, inner guard; Harry Duvall, outside sentinel; Dr. Milton Schmidt, chief surgeon; Joseph Miles, judge advocate; Robert Ennis, Stephen White, sr. and Preston Tate, trustees.

Not in the Script . . .

1. UNAWARE of the danger of an approaching wave, Screen Actress Greer Garson (left) and Actor Richard Hart, making a picture on the coast at Monterey, Calif., calmly fish for shrimp

2. THE WAVE hits Hart, but Miss Garson still doesn't know what is about to happen. This sequence was taken from the motion picture film they were enacting

Associated Press WIREPHOTOS

3. ENGULFED by the torrent of water, the two are just barely visible. The wave swept Miss Garson off the rocks into the sea. A fisherman on the scene rescued her

Civilian Fruit And Vegetable Stocks Gain

There were 23 million more cases of canned fruits, vegetables and juices for civilians in the hands of packers and wholesalers March 1 than at the same time last year.

The Commerce Department, reporting this yesterday, listed the total at 126 million cases. Shipments to retailers in February—34 million cases—were the highest for that month in five years. Production for the month, however, was unchanged from last year's rate of 21 million cases.

Tremendous Output Seen

New York, April 25 (AP).—Near-peak production of fruits and vegetables is in prospect for the next few months, produce sources said today.

"Indications now are for tremendous production," the American Institute of Food Distribution asserted. "There should be a big crop from the South Atlantic and Pacific producing areas, a large apple crop, and plenty of apricots from California. Vegetable acreage has been planted under better conditions than a year ago."

Overall fruit and berry output is expected to be 10 per cent higher than a year ago, according to U. S. Department of Agriculture estimates.

50% More Apples Forecast

The department expects apple production to be 50 per cent higher than in 1945, a peach crop at or near last year's record 80 million bushels, 25 per cent more cherries, and citrus tonnage 10 per cent ahead of last year. Pears, grapes, prunes and plums may be in slightly smaller supply.

The New York regional office of the Agriculture Department said recent frosts on the Eastern Seaboard have cut somewhat into strawberry crops in that region, that Delaware and Maryland peach crops would be "fair to light" because of frosts and that New York and New England still might have some frost damage.

The sweet cherry crop in Western New York State probably will be light, that office said, but so far sour cherries are less affected.

Reports from 140 field buying offices of A. & P. food stores throughout the country stated that with continued favorable growing and harvesting weather commercial vegetable production of near-record proportions would be realized from acreage about 5 per cent greater than that under cultivation last year.

Supplies Continue Ample

Poultry and egg supplies continue ample despite reductions in commercial flocks as lessened military demands continue to more than offset these declines, A. & P. said. It added, however, that continued difficulty in getting meat and resulting increased demand for poultry and eggs might change that picture.

"There is a seriously menacing downward trend in milk production which is going to get worse unless a price incentive is offered to encourage production of more milk and dairy products," the Food Distribution Institute said. "We are headed toward a bad shortage of processed dairy products and milk next fall."

The Agriculture Department estimated that each person would have an average of 42 pounds of food fats such as butter, margerine, shortening and other edible oils this year—about the same as in 1945, but 6 pounds less than from 1935-1939.

Author to Speak At Book Luncheon

PHYLLIS BOTTOME, author of "Mortal Storm," "Private Worlds" and the more recent book, "Life Line," will make her first public appearance since her return to America after the war when she speaks at The Post's Book and Author luncheon May 2 at the Statler Hotel. Tickets for the luncheon can be purchased at Brentano's, Ballantyne's, Whyte's, Francis Scott Key, Better Mouse Trap and community book shops and at Kann's and Woodward & Lothrop's book departments

90-Cent Silver Agreement Announced

By the Associated Press

An agreement in the Senate Appropriations Committee for sale of Government-owned silver to industry at 90 cents an ounce was announced yesterday by Senator McCarran (D., Nev.).

An appropriations subcommittee has been considering for several weeks a House-approved provision in the Treasury's 1947 budget authorizing sale at 71.11 cents, the price which the Government pays the producer. The silver may be coined at $1.29 and Congressmen from silver-producing States have been holding out for that price.

Under the amendment, which McCarran predicted would be approved by the full committee, the Treasury also would buy silver from the producer at 90 cents an ounce. At the end of two years, the price would be advanced to $1.29, less brassage and coinage charges, both to the producer and on sales to industry.

Brassage (alloy) and coinage charges, McCarran estimated would amount to about 1 cent an ounce.

"Prospects are very good," he said in a statement, "for Senate approval of the amendment. I cannot say that the House conferees will accept it, but I believe they will."

Chairman Thomas (D., Okla.) of the Senate Special Silver Committee recently said that present domestic silver production is only about 30 million ounces, while the Treasury needs 55 million ounces for coins and manufacturers and film makers need 62,500,000 ounces a year.

Representative White, Democrat of Idaho, one of the larger silver-producing States, doubted if the increase would do much to stimulate production. "It will hardly pick up the differential in wages," he told a reporter. "It should be closer to the world price which ranges upward from $1.10."

Senator McMahon (D., Conn.) indicated the compromise price would have his approval.

"Our silver manufacturers," he said, "have told me they probably can live on 90-cent silver. I think under those circumstances I would approve the Senate committee's amendment."

Export-Import Bank Gives $200,000,000 Credit to Dutch

By the Associated Press

The Export-Import Bank announced last night an additional credit of 200 million dollars to the Netherlands.

Half of the new credit is to be repaid within one year and the remainder within two years with interest at 2¼ per cent a year, Board Chairman William McChesney Martin, Jr., announced.

The bank also announced it had offered American commercial banks an opportunity to participate in the loan without guarantee by the bank.

Although no agreements have been signed as yet, Martin said 50 American commercial banks have indicated their intention to participate to the extent of approximately 100 million dollars.

Last year, Martin said, the Export-Import Bank—an agency of the United States Government—extended 100 million dollars in long-term credits to the Dutch, half for the purchase of articles in the "lend-lease pipelines" and the other half for purchase of a variety of American products needed for rehabilitation of the Netherlands.

The Netherlands government has committed virtually the entire 100 million dollars for purchases, but thus far has actually drawn out but 41 million dollars.

Purchases under the new loan are to be made mainly by private Netherlands importers, except for bulk purchases of food by the government itself.

Seeks Private Investors

Meanwhile, Martin said, the export-import bank is studying means of letting private investors supply a greater share of the loans made to foreign governments.

To the extent that private capital responded, officials held, the export-import bank could conserve its fnuds for the needier foreign governments.

These officials held also that such a policy would provide an outlet for investment-starved private capital and test the market for bond issues of the newly created world bank, which is expected to float bond issues this fall to finance foreign lending.

Spare Stamp 49 Valid May 1 for 5 Pounds of Sugar

Spare stamp 49 in family ration books will become valid May 1 for five pounds of sugar.

Announcing this yesterday, OPA said the new coupon will expire August 31. Sugar stamp 39, the last specifically labeled "sugar," will expire April 30.

OPA said that on the basis of latest surveys it expects the present sugar ration of five pounds every four months can be maintained. In that case, another sugar stamp will be validated September 1.

Spare stamp 49 is in ration book four, as well as in the special sugar ration books issued to veterans and as replacements.

Roxas Retains Vote Lead in Philippines

Manila, April 25 (AP).—Manuel Roxas maintained a substantial lead in the Philippines presidential race tonight, although President Sergio Osmena continued to gain in scattered returns. Nearly three quarters of the votes were still to be counted from Tuesday's balloting.

Unofficial returns from 3964 out of 14,238 precincts gave Roxas 376,247; Osmena, 302,606.

The last 555 boxes counted at this juncture cut Roxas' lead from 82,282 to 73,641.

In Ilocos Sur Province in northwestern Luzon, police reported one policeman was killed and another wounded in gunplay. This brought to four the number of deaths linked with the election.

W. G. Chandler Reelected Head Of Publishers

New York, April 25 (U.P.).—The American Newspaper Publishers Association reelected William G Chandler, Scripps-Howard newspaper executive, as president today before closing its sixtieth annual convention at which a record registration was reported.

Elected to serve with Chandler during his second term were David W. Howe, general manager of the Burlington (Vt.) Free Press, vice president; Edwin S. Friendly of the New York Sun, treasurer, and S. R. Winch, business manager of the Portland (Oreg.) Journal, secretary. The latter was elected after Norman Chandler, publisher of the Los Angeles Times, declined nomination to the office.

Five members elected to the board of directors were Bert N. Honea, general manager of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram; George C. Biggers, general manager of the Atlanta Journal; Charles F. McCahill, publisher of the Cleveland News; J. L. Stackhouse, general manager of the Easton (Pa.) Express, and J. D. Funk, publisher of the Santa Monica (Calif.) Outlook.

Buel W. Hudson, publisher of the Woonsocket (R. I.) Call; Verne E. Joy, publisher of the Centralia (Ill.) Sentinel, and Carl B. Short, general manager of the Roanoke (Va.) Times and World-News, were members of the nominating committee.

Registrations at the convention totaled 1034 with membership in the association increased to 756 from 740 last year.

A proposal that dues be increased was submitted for consideration after ANPA expenses for the year were reported $15,000 in excess of income.

New York ranked third among the Nation's top milk-producing States in 1945 by producing more than eight billion pounds.

What's Going On and Where

Public Events

National Gallery of Art, 6th st. and Constitution ave. nw., special exhibit, prints by Hogarth and Rowlandson, open 10 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Corcoran Gallery of Art, 17th st. and New York ave. nw., thirteenth annual exhibit of the Society of Miniature Painters, Sculptors and Gravers of Washington; annual exhibit of the Landscape Club of Washington; other exhibits, open 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.

National Archives, Constitution ave. between 8th and 9th, World War II surrender documents and captured German banners; exhibit of records relating to the assassination of Presidents, open 8:45 a. m. to 5:15 p. m.

Library of Congress, 1st and East Capitol sts., "Warsaw Lives Again," exhibit showing the destruction and rebuilding of Warsaw, open 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Smithsonian Institution, 10th st. and Independence ave. sw., Engineering and Industry Building, northwest gallery, photo exhibit by Paul and Dorothy Pratt, St. Louis, Mo.

Marine Barracks Auditorium, 8th and I sts. se., Marine Band concert, 1 p. m.

Service Activities

Veterans' Information Center, 14th st. and Pennsylvania ave. nw., expert advice on GI loans, job seeking, personal problems, housing, schooling and surplus property advantages; open 8:30 to 5 p. m.

United Nations Service Center, 300 North Capitol st., enlisted men's and officers' lodging.

Servicemen's Club No. 1, 906 9th st. nw., dance, 8 p. m.; nightly lodging.

Officers' Service Club, 1644 21st st. nw., dance, 9 to 12 p. m.

USO, 1911 E st. nw., game night all evening.

USO, Y. M. C. A. Building, 1736 G st. nw., sightseeing, 1:30 p. m; art canteen, materials furnished, 7:30 p. m.; group singing, 8 p. m.; information service, open 10 a. m. to 10 p. m.; gym open 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.; lounge and club room open 9 a. m. to 11 p. m.

USO, 1814 N st. nw., party, 8 p. m.

USO, 916 10th st. nw., dance, 8:30 to 11:30 p. m.

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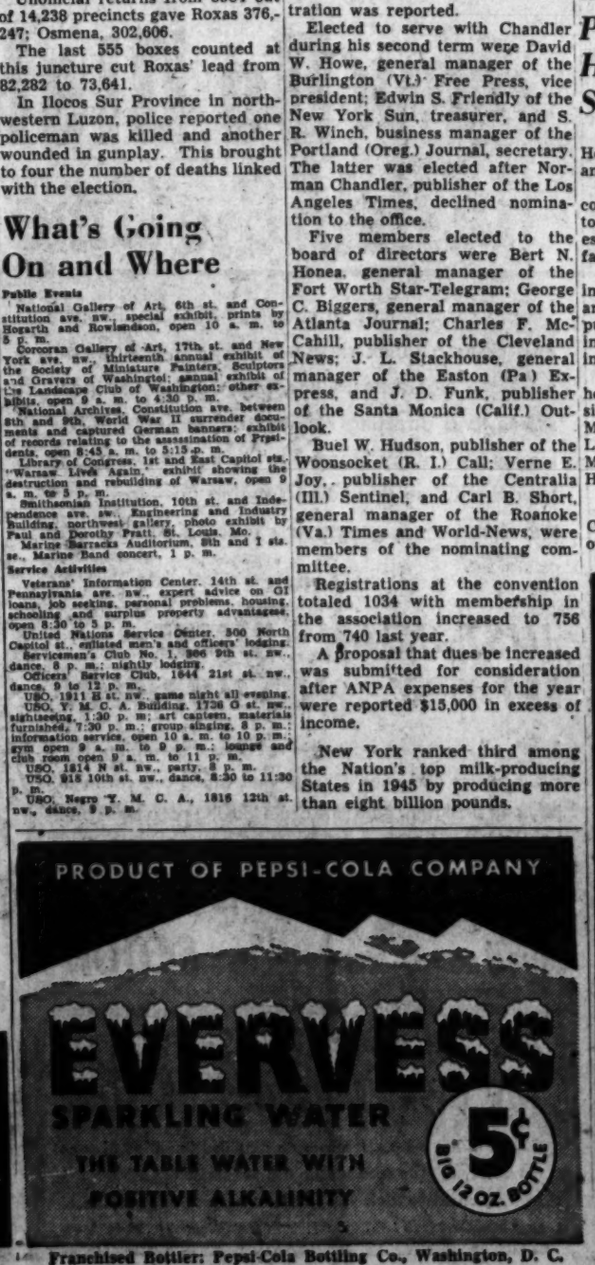

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

IT DIDN'T get into the papers, but President Truman sat down the other day with Secretary of the Treasury Fred Vinson and Democratic National Committee Vice Chairman Dick Nacy to discuss the Southern rebellion against Bob Hannegan.

Nacy told Truman that the Southerners were up in arms over the last erroneous letter sent out of National Committee headquarters and signed by Bob Hannegan, urging Democratic leaders to pick good candidates this time.

The letter was interpreted by Southerners as indicating a purge of all Democrats; so Nacy told Truman that Dixie Democrats now wanted a new letter from Hannegan indorsing all Democratic members of Congress for reelection.

Truman replied that he would agree to no such thing. He said that if the Democratic National Committee indorsed all Democratic members of Congress, it would put Democrats who entered the primaries at a disadvantage. The President was thinking particularly of certain districts where Democrats may be booted out in the primaries by other Democrats who very much agree with the Truman program.

Finally the President said:

"There will be no new letter. The National Committee has admitted its error. I am fully satisfied that Bob Hannegan knows how to run his own affairs. I am going to continue to let him run them, too."

And that was that.

Slitting Byrnes' Throat

NO MAN in the United States Government needs more support today than Jimmy Byrnes, now struggling to straighten out the tangled skeins of peace. Yet, while he is in Paris, certain diehards on Capitol Hill have been busy as bird dogs cutting his appropriations throat.

One of Byrnes' strongest peace weapons is the good will of the Russian people. If they are friendly to the United States, his hand is strengthened 100 per cent with their bosses in the Kremlin. Proof of this is the way the government-controlled Moscow radio has been blasting away at the Russian people about decadent United States capitalism, millions of United States unemployed, and alleged United States efforts to bulldoze Russia.

One small start toward counteracting this is an illustrated magazine Amerika, published by the State Department and circulated in Russia to the tune of 10,000 copies. This is all the Kremlin will let inside Russia, though negotiations are now underway to increase the circulation to 50,000.

In the middle of these negotiations, however, niggardly Representative Louis Rabaut, Michigan Democrat, neatly ran his knife through the State Department's appropriation for Amerika. Apparently disapproving of the idea of penetrating the Soviet "iron curtain," he and a majority of his Appropriations Subcommittee decided in effect to tell Byrnes what he should or should not do in Russia.

Meanwhile, here is a confidential report from an official in the American Embassy in Moscow on the job Amerika already has done on the Russian people:

Slitting Soviet Curtain

"IN THE PAST MONTH a hospital director requested 50 copies of each issue for patients, saying it was excellent reading matter; a radio repair man said he would give priority on radio repair work to any customer who got him a copy; in a theater the other night I sat in front of two women who were reading the third issue of Amerika. They didn't go out between the acts.

"Soon a large group gathered around them. The women read the headlines aloud. Everyone commented on the interest of the articles, the quality of the paper, and color work. Several weeks ago, before the fourth issue arrived, a young officeworker from a certain commissariat made her fourth visit to the embassy in a single month, pleading for a copy. The girl said that a doctor refused to treat her unless she could produce a new copy of Amerika.

"I was told today that we got a protesting letter from the far-off Tshuvaskay Republic, protesting that, although they had ordered 22 subscriptions, only 21 had arrived in the last mail. Copies of Amerika have been sent to Tadzhikistan, 5000 miles from Moscow.

"Another friend took copies to relatives in Kiev, and they have set up regular morning and afternoon gatherings for the neighbors to come in and read the magazine. A woman told me the only way she could get a dentist's appointment was to lend him a new or old copy of Amerika.

"One theater director told an actress I know that getting a copy of Amerika is as difficult as getting a ticket to the performance, 'Days of the Tarbius,' now the most popular play in Moscow. A famous actor at the Makhat Theater was seen between acts backstage trying to repair a damaged copy of the magazine with glue. Still another friend asked a waiter whether he preferred cigarettes or a copy of Amerika as a tip. The waiter took the magazine. One Russian government worker on his way home with 10 copies stopped in a store, was almost mobbed, and left with no copies.

"This represents only what I personally know about the magazine. Each copy is seen by from 15 to 50 people. Some people return copies in shreds and tatters to the embassy to show how popular it is. They have been read until the print is almost worn off the paper."

Note—Members of Rabaut's committee who helped knife Secretary Byrnes are: Democrats—Hare (S. C.), Rooney (Brooklyn, N. Y.), Gary (Va.). Republicans—Stefan (Nebr.), Jones (Ohio), Gillespie (Colo.). Of these, Hare and Stefan definitely voted to support Byrnes.

Capital Chaff

SIDNEY HILLMAN held a very important conference with President Truman last week. This was publicized. Not publicized, however, was a secret meeting with Phil Murray and Harold Ickes. Behind the powwows is an all-out campaign to elect liberal Roosevelt-Truman Congressmen to Congress next November . . . The Swiss government has now agreed with Great Britain and the United States to giving the Allies 50 per cent of all German assets in Switzerland; also that 100 million dollars of the 400 million dollars of Nazi gold in Switzerland will be returned to the Allies. This very lame compromise would have been less lame if the British hadn't been softies. They figured they could borrow from us what they didn't get from the Swiss . . . Increasing evidence that Yugoslav Leader Mihailovich was framed by British intelligence is piling up in Washington. It shows he was never in cahoots with the Nazis. Next week a large delegation of Americans will call at the State Department demanding that Mihailovich be tried by international tribunal . . . Senator Bridges of New Hampshire, plus colleagues, is introducing a bill providing for an air force entirely separate from the Army and Navy. A separate air force, he believes, will solve the row over the Army-Navy merger.

JANE ARDEN

Commission Opposes Jap Food Priority

By the Associated Press

The Far Eastern Commission yesterday told the United States not to give Japan any food priority over Allied nations, except where food imports "are essential immediately for the safety of the occupation forces."

The commission asked this country to reconsider immediately its decision to send half a million tons of grain to Japan by July 1. However, its policy statement left it up to Gen. Douglas MacArthur and the four-power Allied Council for Japan to determine what immediate food imports were necessary to insure safety of the Allied troops.

Maj. Gen. Frank R. McCoy, commission chairman and United States delegate, went along with the 10 other member nations in approving the statement. He said later, however, that he had made it plain the United States already was following the "no priority" policy on food shipments laid down by the commission.

Predicts Early Reply

McCoy predicted the Government would make an early reply to the commission. It was obvious that the United States believed the commission's request for review of the Japanese food program was reasonable and should not meet American opposition.

As far as is known, the commission's statement was the first policy directive it has produced during the two months of its existence. At least, it was the first one made public.

Commission members said they believed it likely the United States would transmit copies of the statement to General MacArthur and the Russian, British and Chinese representatives on the Tokyo Council.

Follows Anderson's Statement

The food issue developed after Secretary of Agriculture Clinton P. Anderson said last week the Government has promised to send General MacArthur 150,000 tons of food monthly for the Japanese during April, May and June.

This would raise the total shipped in the first six months of 1946 to about 600,000 tons. Informed officials, who cannot be quoted by name, have said that General MacArthur asked for nearly three times that amount.

Sir Carl Berendsen of New Zealand immediately voiced concern over Anderson's announcement; challenged the report that a food shortage existed in Japan, and said he would have no part of any policy which gave the Japanese priority over needy Allied nations.

After the British, Indian and Philippine members of the commission had supported Berendsen's stand, the matter was referred to the commission's economic and financial affairs committee. Yesterday's commission statement followed a week of discussion.

Part of Growing Resentment

Some commission members have let it be known that their opposition to American food shipments was only a part of a general growing resentment by their governments against the single-handed policy which the United States has followed with regard to Japan since the surrender.

Adoption of the food statement was not the only accomplishments at yesterday's commission meeting.

The commission also revised its press policy substantially, authorizing Chairman McCoy to hold news conferences after each regular weekly meeting. Commission members still declined to vote for opening up the meetings to reporters, however.

Previously, the commission has given out its news only in the form of meager communiques issued at the State Department.

U. S. Officials Looting Japan, Pravda Charges

Moscow, April 25 (U.P.).—American military authorities are looting Japan systematically, the Communist Party newspaper Pravda charged today.

A Pravda dispatch from Dairen, Manchuria, made the allegations:

1. The Americans confiscated gold, platinum and 13 tons of silver from the Atami military and naval depots.

2. A large quantity of diamonds was seized from the Nippon Diamond Co.

3. Forty-six tons of silver was seized in the town of Tsiba and 57 tons in Tsindai.

4. The Ninety-seventh U. S. Division seized 59½ kilograms of industrial diamonds, "a certain amount" of platinum, 45 tons of silver, 10 tons of silver wire and 1 7/10 tons of silver coins in the territory it occupies.

5. American authorities confiscated £250,000 worth of curreny, diamonds and other valuables from repatriated Japanese.

6. Americans ordered the Japanese government on March 27 to ship 8300 balse of silk to the United States.

7. On April 15 the Japanese were ordered to ship 10,000 tons of rubber, 10,000 tons of lead and 1500 tons of antimony to the United States.

Sixty-five per cent of the total tonnage of overseas shipping for war purposes consisted of gasoline, oil and other petroleum products.

A chicken drinks a pound of water for each pound of food eaten.

Third Army Head Ill With Minor Heart Condition

Heidelberg, Germany, April 25 (AP).—Lieut. Gen. Lucian K. Truscott, commander of the U. S. Third Army which occupies the entire American zone of Germany, was confined to his quarters tonight with a heart condition which doctors estimated would keep him inactive for five weeks.

Officers insisted, however, that their commander was "not seriously" ill.

Truscott returned recently from Washington where he had been summoned to his wife's bedside in Walter Reed Hospital. He was stricken with a respiratory ailment on April 16. The cardiac condition soon developed.

The Third Army assumed control of all ground forces in the American zone of Germany on March 20 when the Seventh Army was deactivated.

Cemetery Lots

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Died 1

DAFTARY, DR. ALI AKBAR. Suddenly, on Sunday, April 21, 1946, DR. ALI AKBAR DAFTARY, husband of Zarintaj Daftary, 3712 Ordway st. nw. Remains resting at the Bethesda-Chevy Chase funeral home of Wm. Reuben Pumphrey, where funeral services will be held Friday, April 26, at 10 a. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

COLBREATH, EMMA S. On Wednesday, April 24, 1946, at the Circle Terrace Hospital, Alexandria, Va., EMMA S. COLBREATH, sister of O. H. Colbreath of Portsmouth, Va., and Mrs. Hanger, Norfolk, Va. Remains resting at the Wheatley funeral home, Alexandria, Va., until 9:30 a. m. Friday; thence to the Belmont United Brethren Church, Augusta County, Va., for funeral and interment at 2 p. m., Friday, April 26.

BIRD, WALTER. On Wednesday, April 24, 1946, at Sacred Heart Home, Hyattsville, Md., WALTER BIRD, the beloved husband of the late Anna Catherine Bird and father of Mrs. Estella Volz, Garnett, Kans.; Mrs. Nellie B. Jeffery, Mrs. Rosie Guiler, Mercer, Pa.; Mrs. Bertha Cline, Beltsville, Md.; Mrs. Inez Wall, Walter H. and Charles A. Bird. Remains resting at Chambers Riverdale funeral home until Saturday, April 27, at 8:30 a. m. Mass will be offered at Sacred Heart Home Chapel, 5801 Queens Chapel rd., Hyattsville, Md., at 9 a. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

DONALDSON, AMOS. On Wednesday, April 24, 1946, at his residence, 2107 N. Monroe st., Arlington, Va., AMOS DONALDSON, the beloved husband of Grace Pusley Donaldson, and father of Howard and Louise Donaldson. Remains resting at Ives funeral home, 2847 Wilson blvd., Arlington, Va., until Friday, April 26, at 8 p. m., then at his late residence where funeral services will be held on Saturday, April 27, at 2 p. m. Interment National Memorial Park, Falls Church, Va.

DENMAN, EDITH C. On Wednesday, April 24, 1946, EDITH C. DENMAN, wife of the late Charles Denman, niece of Mary E. Wilkes and aunt of Miss Frances Feaster and Mrs. Maude Kiatta. Services at Chambers funeral home, 517 11th st. se., on Friday, April 26, at 2 p. m. Interment George Washington Memorial Cemetery.

HEIDER, FLORA E. On Tuesday, April 23, 1946, at Sibley Hospital, FLORA E. HEIDER, of 1037 North Monroe st., Arlington, Va., wife of the late Charles W. Heider, mother of Mrs. M. Augusta Purnell of Arlington, Va., and Georgs J. Kaiser of Silver Spring, Md.; sister of Harry G. Heiges of Washington. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Friday, April 26, at 11 a. m. Interment Oak Hill Cemetery.

HOTTEL, CLARENCE L. On Wednesday, April 24, 1946, at Garfield Hospital, CLARENCE L. HOTTEL, the beloved husband of Edmonia J. Hottel and brother of J. T. Hottel of Centerville, Va. Services at Chambers funeral home, 517 11th st. se., on Friday, April 26, at 11:30 a. m. Interment Cedar Grove Cemetery, Bealeton, Va.

IRWIN, ANNIE BARBOUR. On Wednesday, April 24, 1946, at her residence, 1704 19th st. nw., ANNIE BARBOUR IRWIN, the beloved daughter of Mrs. Bessie Barbour Irwin and sister of Harrison B. Irwin and Mrs. Thomas B. Larkin. Remains resting at the above residence, where prayers will be said at 9:30 a. m.; thence to St. Matthew's Cathedral, 1725 Rhode Island ave. nw., where mass will be said at 10 a. m. for the repose of her soul. Interment (private) Mount Olivet Cemetery.

Died 1

MARSH, LILLIAN ANN. Suddenly, on Wednesday, April 24, 1946, at her residence, 2010 Wisconsin ave. nw., LILLIAN ANN MARSH, beloved wife of Charles H. Marsh and daughter of Mrs. I. E. Stambock of Luray, Va., and sister of Mrs. George Vogt, Jr., Washington, D. C., Ray J. Stambock and David F. Stambock. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Friday, April 26, at 3 p. m. Interment Glenwood Cemetery.

MILLER, REV. FRANK W. On Wednesday, April 24, 1946, at his residence, 909 Kennedge ave., Takoma Park, Md., Rev. FRANK W. MILLER, beloved husband of Nellie Miller and father of Maxwell Robert Miller and Mrs. Rose Dennis. Friends may call at the Lee funeral home, 4th st. and Massachusetts ave. nw., where services will be held on Friday, April 26, at 3:30 p. m. Interment private.

NOONE, JAMES B. On Tuesday, April 23, 1946, at Prince Georges General Hospital, Cheverly, Md., JAMES B. NOONE of Landover, Md., beloved husband of Ellen B. Noone. He is also survived by four daughters, Mary, Eleanor and Alice Noone and Mrs. Louise Brohaugh and six sons, James F., Thomas B., Robert A., Frederick M., Harry A. and Leonard J. Noone. Remains resting at Leach's funeral home, 4729 Baltimore ave., Hyattsville, Md., where services will be held on Friday, April 26, at 9:30 a. m.; thence to St. Jerome's Catholic Church, Hyattsville, where mass will be said at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

SKINNER, SOPHIA H. On Wednesday, April 24, 1946, at Georgetown University Hospital, SOPHIA H. SKINNER, of 3709 Benton st. nw., beloved wife of Ernest N. Skinner, sister of May F. Crown. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Saturday, April 27, at 2 p. m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

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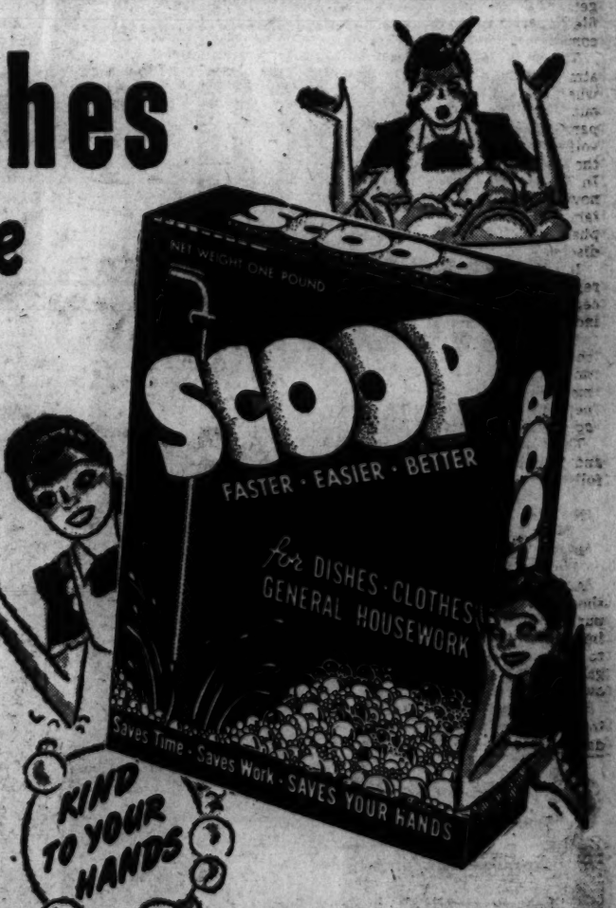

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Chief Justiceship

By Ernest Lindley

Many Factors Temper Selection

PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S high respect for the abilities of Associate Justice Robert H. Jackson is well known. Furthermore, he is indebted to Jackson, as is the Nation, for the arduous and adventurous task of organizing and directing the trials of German war criminals. This work has kept Jackson away from the bench throughout the present term and has exposed him to a certain amount of criticism. The criticism, however—most of it from lawyers who disagreed with his concept of the trials—is not serious enough to interfere with his confirmation to any appointment.

LINDLEY

Jackson is one of the more conservative members of the present Court, but his New Deal background and progressive outlook are solid enough to save him from attacks from all except possibly the extreme left wing. President Roosevelt seriously considered making him Chief Justice in 1941, but decided in favor of Harlan F. Stone, and named Jackson to an associate justiceship instead.

ALTHOUGH AT THIS writing President Truman has not indicated his intention, many clews, including the President's known regard for him, would point to the elevation of Jackson to the Chief Justiceship, if there were no factors outside the Supreme Court to be considered. Some of the President's close friends, however, consider Jackson too valuable and energetic a man to be sequestered on the bench. They have been eying him as a running mate for President Truman in 1948—all the more earnestly since Associate Justice William O. Douglas indicated that he preferred the bench to the Secretaryship of the Interior. Had Douglas stepped back into the executive branch he probably would have had the Democratic National Chairman's backing for the vice presidential nomination.

Either Douglas or Jackson might be drafted from the bench for the second place on the Democratic ticket in 1948. The Republicans went to the Supreme Court for their presidential candidate in 1916, Charles E. Hughes. But Hughes was then only an associate justice. The elevation of Jackson to the Chief Justiceship might generally be construed as a binding moral commitment on the part of the President to leave him there and on the part of Jackson to devote the rest of his life exclusively to the judicial branch of the Government.

SOME OF THE members of the presidential circle are therefore talking of alternative choices for the Chief Justiceship. Secretary of State James F. Byrnes has a number of backers, although they cannot all be counted as well-wishers. Their objective is to clear the way for another Secretary of State, probably either Jackson or Gen. George C. Marshall, another man for whose ability and judgment the President has the deepest respect. Byrnes, who served briefly as an associate justice, would be eminently qualified and his talents in achieving compromises might be helpful to the present badly split court. But he certainly would not be enthusiastic about a kick upstairs, especially since the Secretary of State is, in the absence of a Vice President, the next in line for the Presidency.

The relationship between the President and Byrnes is now regarded as good. But there was friction a few months ago, and it has left some opposition to Byrnes as Secretary of State in the President's inner circle.

With the exception of Byrnes, Secretary of the Treasury Fred Vinson is perhaps the only man outside the present Supreme Court who might be seriously considered for the Chief Justiceship. He also has had judicial experience. Within the court itself are several among whom the President might choose, thus creating a vacant associate justiceship for which at least a score of men would be highly qualified, politically as well as by ability.

The vacancy in the chief justiceship gives the President an opportunity to engineer a major shift in his official family. Positively or negatively, his decision will have a bearing on his political plans for the future.

Grin and Bear It

By Lichty

"It's a medal from the Army for your inspiring speeches to the boys at the front! The citation says you kept them laughing!"

18 Senate Candidates Backed For Election by Railway Union

By the Associated Press

Association, which says it speaks for 1,500,000 railroad workers, yesterday indorsed 18 candidates for the Senate on the basis of their voting records.

Announcement of the approval of 16 present Senators and two members of the House aspiring for Senate seats was made in the current issue of "Labor," the Railroad Brotherhoods' weekly newspaper.

It said the Executives Association at a meeting last week, indorsed Senator James M. Mead (D., N. Y.) for reelection to the Senate or for Governor of New York.

"In other words, they are for him for any position to which he may aspire," Labor said.

The other endorsements:

Arizona—Ernest W. McFarland (D., Del.), James M. Tunnell, (D., Ind.), Representative M. LaFollette (R., Mass.), David I. Walsh (D., Minn.), Henrik Shipstead (R.).

Missouri—Frank P. Briggs, (D., Mont.), Burton K. Wheeler (D., Nev.), Representative Berkeley L. Bunker (D., N. Mex.), Dennis Chavez (D., Ohio), James W. Huffman, (D.).

Pennsylvania—Joseph F. Guffey, Democrat; Tennessee — Kenneth McKellar, Democrat; Utah—Abe Murdock, Democrat; Washington—Hugh B. Mitchell, Democrat; West Virginia—Harley M. Kilgore, Democrat;

Wisconsin—Robert M. La Follette, jr., Republican; Wyoming—Joseph C. O'Mahoney, Democrat.

Additional recommendations for the Senate may be made later and indorsements for House positions likewise will be considered.

Seven Senators Opposed

Louisville, Ky., April 25 (AP).—Mrs. Raymond Brown of New York City today asked members of the Women's Action Committee for Victory and Lasting Peace to oppose the reelection this year of seven United States Senators.

Conducting a roudtable discussion at the organization's national convention, Mrs. Brown urged the defeat of the Senators because of what she termed their stand on isolationism.

She listed them as Senators Willis, Ind.; Wheeler, Mont.; Butler, Nebr.; Langer, N. Dak.; Walsh, Mass.; Bilbo, Miss.; and Shipstead, Minn.

No formal action was taken by the group.

Matter Of Fact

By Joseph And Stewart Alsop

Baruch Sets His Sights

IT IS NOW a fairly open secret that the choice of Bernard Baruch to do the most important job in the gift of the American Government did not exactly rejoice the few real experts in the terrible problem of atomic energy. Baruch's appointment to the United Nations Atomic Energy Commission received the public acclaim befitting a man who has rendered such great public services. But the atomic scientists feared that the task would be long, hard and unfamiliar for a man of Baruch's age, and they were not reassured when he chose for his staff a group of New York financiers who knew no more of atomic energy than he did.

It is all the more pleasant to be able to report that the Baruch approach to the great problem on which the future hangs, seems to be as bold as it is practical. In the first place—and this is the really important thing—Baruch has set his sights high. He sees the internationalization of atomic energy as a chance to create fundamental instrumentalities for world peace. This is his first objective.

As previously reported in this space, it is also the objective of Secretary of State James F. Byrnes and the State Department. The general idea is that establishment of an organization to control atomic energy and other new weapons, under the United Nations, will give to U. N. the needed element of sovereignty which it now lacks. Thus there is complete unanimity on this vital point.

Second—and also most important—Baruch requested Secretary Byrnes, before the latter's departure for Europe, to keep in being the committee which prepared the famous Acheson report on atomic energy control. Furthermore, he has seen and conferred at great length with David Lilienthal of TVA and Dr. Robert Oppenheimer, formerly head of the Los Alamos laboratory, who represented Government administration and science on this committee. Oppenheimer has deeply impressed him. So has the tentative solution proposed in the Acheson report, which Baruch will use as his point of departure in working out a final solution. It now appears likely that if Oppenheimer consents, he will serve Baruch as his chief scientific adviser.

THUS THE BAD staff work which characterized the announcement of the Baruch appointment is being slowly remedied. On the side of Baruch, the appointment was announced before he had time to get himself squared away for his job. Thus when the announcement came, he merely said he would be helped by John Hancock, Ferdinand Eberstadt, Frederick Searles and Herbert Bayard Swope—all of whom have assisted him in the past—and that he would call for scientific advice if and when it was needed.

As his probable scientific advisers, he named Dr. Vannevar Bush and President Conant of Harvard, neither of whom is a physicist. Great though the services of Bush and Conant have also been, Baruch's omission of any physicists' name aroused considerable alarm. The real reason for this omission was that Baruch was talking off hand to the press on the telephone, and simply did not have in his mind the names of any physicists who would be appropriate.

Then, too, arrangements had already been made to present the Acheson report to the Senate Committee on Atomic Energy, prior to the Baruch appointment. A copy of the report, which is perhaps the most important state paper of our time, had been given to Baruch, but he had had no time to study it. When the Senators head the report, they began to leak its contents. Therefore the report had to be published before Baruch had had a chance to discuss its findings with Byrnes—and thus he felt that his position had been compromised from the start, and naturally evinced resentment.

THESE PETTY but potentially grave mishaps should now have been overcome. Meanwhile, Baruch is hearing everyone who has something to say on the problem of atomic energy, and is laboring to establish an organization sufficient to evolve a complete solution of the atomic energy problem. This is, of course, entirely different from the problem solved by his rubber report, which merely required a sensible choice between 20 or 30 alternative synthetic processes. (In that case, the final choice was made when Baruch made piles of all the documents relating to each process, pointed to the piles on the floor, and asked Conant to touch the best one.)

In the problem of atomic energy, unheard of complexities are involved. It will require a huge staff, working for months, to provide answers to the multitude of relevant questions such as—to take a small example—the price to be paid by a United Nations Atomic Development Authority to private and national owners of uranium and thorium mines. Baruch sees the need for a large, effective organization. In order to cut Government red tape; he even plans financing the project from his own pocket, and is buying his own staff plane, which may be a trivial detail but indicates both the character of the man and the importance he attaches to his job.

Divorce for Joan Crawford

Hollywood, April 25 (U.P.).—Joan Crawford today divorced Actor Philip Terry at a 15-minute hearing during which she said he criticised her choice of acting roles.

The Gallup Poll

Democrats Oppose Purge Of Maverick Congressmen

By George Gallup

Director of American Institute of Public Opinion

Princeton, N. J., April 25. — Democratic leaders anxious to purge the party of certain Democratic Congressmen who have refused to go along with the Administration on major issues may have difficulty gaining support for the purge from the rank and file of party voters.

The American people place far less importance on strict party regularity than do the people of other leading democratic nations. In this country the idea of disciplining a Congressman for not voting with his party on major issues gets a big "no" from the rank and file of party members, a poll just completed by the Institute shows.

This is in sharp contrast to the atmosphere prevailing in England, where party members almost without exception adhere to their party's program in parliamentary voting, and may be dropped from the party if they do not adhere. In France, too, there is much talk nowadays of setting up a parliamentary system which will place emphasis on the most rigid party discipline.

In the United States, party irregularity has wide public acceptance, as the following survey indicates:

If a Congressman is elected on the Democratic ticket and does not vote with his party on all major issues, should he be prevented from running for office again as a Democrat?

The vote of the whole country, and of Democratic voters only, follows:

	Yes	NO	No op.
National vote	21%	69%	10%
Democratic voters only	25	64	11

An argument put forward by those who want party mavericks purged is that it is difficult if not impossible for a President in power to carry out any consistent program if there is no solidarity in his own party.

But the majority of voters seem to be more willing to accept that danger than to accept "outside interference" in local elections. Mr. Roosevelt tried unsuccessfully in 1938 to purge such men as Senator Tydings of Maryland, Senator George of Georgia, and "Cotton Ed" Smith of South Carolina, among others, for failure to adhere to the Administration's program. United States Representative John O'Connor of New York suffered defeat as a result of Roosevelt opposition at that time.

Public opinion surveys at the time indicated that many American voters resent having anyone outside their State or their congressional district attempting to dictate their choice of Congressman or Senator.

Today's survey again shows, the rank and file unwilling to see party members punished because of irregularity to the party program.

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DAR Overture

Public opinion can be a potent force in getting rid of community practices that discriminate against individuals on racial grounds. The truth of that contention has again been demonstrated by the action of the DAR in offering the free use of Constitution Hall to the Tuskegee Institute Choir for a benefit performance. To be sure, the DAR has not gone so far as to reverse its policy of denying the use of its hall to Negro artists for commercial performances. Moreover, a few precedents can be cited to show that the DAR has not broken with past practices by permitting Negro benefit concerts to be given. Nevertheless, the circumstances surrounding the extension of the invitation indicate that the organization has been chastened by the avalanche of criticism unloosed by its exclusionist policies. There is good reason, therefore, to hope that the prospective lowering of the racial barrier for a good cause will be followed by its complete abolition in the not distant future.

Many DARs heartily disapprove of the ban on Negro artists that brought public rebukes from the President and Mrs. Truman and caused Mrs. Roosevelt to resign her membership. The efforts of dissenting members to engineer reforms from within, stimulated by adverse criticism, have already borne fruit in the cordial response made to the application of the Tuskegee Choir. And the lines are forming for a finish fight against all exclusionist policies.

We hope that fight will be won, and that the DAR will emerge as an organization practicing as well as giving lip service to the principles of democracy. It could add immeasurably to its influence here and throughout the Nation by setting an example of liberalism for other organizations to follow. For, as we have said on previous occasions, the DAR ban on Negro artists is only typical of the kind of exclusionist policies that are practiced by numerous organized groups in all parts of the country.

Paris Meeting

James F. Byrnes has had some extremely difficult assignments since he became Secretary of State. But none he has undertaken so far has been as complicated and as dangerous as the one he has now embarked upon. To be sure, the actual problems confronting the Paris meeting of the Big Four foreign ministers are not new. They are the same problems that came up at the Council of Foreign Ministers' meeting in London last September, namely, problems connected with the drawing up of peace settlements with Italy, Romania, Bulgaria, Hungary and Finland. These problems have, furthermore, been studied by the foreign ministers' deputies since January. What gives the Paris meeting its special urgency is that not the slightest visible progress has been made in reconciling great power differences. Yet almost a year has passed since the end of the fighting in Europe. The feeling in this country, and in Great Britain as well, is that something must be done to break an impasse which is preventing the return of normal conditions in Europe and hampering the badly needed task of reconstruction.

The trouble is, however, that Russia does not feel the same sense of urgency about the matter that we do and the British do. The delay in drawing up the peace treaties with the former allies and satellites of Germany has given Russia time in which to consolidate her position in Eastern Europe and the Balkans. She has succeeded not only in fostering governments in those countries that look to Moscow for guidance but also in securing a stranglehold on their economy. At the same time she has made such extravagant claims regarding Italy that progress in the direction of ending the armistice with that country has been impossible.

Recently the suggestion was advanced that if the Russians repeated at Paris the same intransigeance regarding the Italian peace terms that they manifested at London separate American and British peace treaties with Italy might be made. There are also rumors that this country may also seek an individual settlement with Austria, whose economic life is being crippled as a result of her division into four separate zones and the reparations that she has been forced to pay. Yet the legal and practical obstacles to any such separate peace arrangements are so great as to make it most unlikely that they will be attempted except as a very last resort.

Australia's Minister for External Affairs, Dr. Evatt, says that under the United Nations declaration of January 1, 1942, no nation has a right to sign a separate peace treaty with an enemy. Realizing, however, that the continuation of the status quo is most unsatisfactory, he has proposed that whether the Big Four conference succeeds or fails, a general peace conference along the lines agreed on at Moscow last December should be held. "Just because three or four countries can't agree doesn't mean that agreement can't be reached when the views of other countries are heard," he said at a recent press conference. Such a peace conference might have its uses. But what is needed, first of all, is an agreement among the great powers. Unfortunately the outlook for such an agreement, as the Paris meeting begins, is anything but bright, and Mr. Byrnes' somber mood is understandable, though we hope he has not taken failure for granted.

The Rains Came

Nothing could have better served as a blessing for Mr. LaGuardia's mission to the Dakotas than the rainfall in which he took his departure. We hoped, and no doubt he hoped, that he would pass through rain all the way. It was a generous 1-inch downpour yesterday, a rain to confound the weatherman, who had prepared us only for a quarter of an inch shower. By this time the rain, being gentle and continuous, has soaked into the greedy earth hereabouts, and restored the depleted subsurface moisture. Gone, then, will be the distress of our neighbor farmers who, unlike us city folk, had long been unable to enjoy these pleasant days. To be sure, the spring had been remarkably dry, but to the nonfarmer the dryness had given light to the atmosphere, filling the countryside of Maryland and Virginia with an unusual loveliness. It was only when the dry spell turned to drought that the urban dweller with any imagination joined the farmer in his worry. For the summer wheat which, but for this rain, might have parched to death, may be vital to people of every race and color.

Meantime the winter wheat is Mr. LaGuardia's worry—the wheat still in the bins of our great Northwest. At last counting there were over 200 million bushels of it. It is not an unusual carryover, but every bushel is precious to combat what President Truman calls "the greatest mass starvation in history." Accordingly, the Government has been trying desperately to move it. The producers have been promised that, if they make immediate delivery of their grain, they can select any date for payment between the date of delivery and next March. This will be advantageous from the standpoint of their income taxes. As an incentive to deliver the Secretary of Agriculture last Friday offered a bonus of 30 cents a bushel till May 25. All this was by way of recognizing not only the artificiality in many respects of our price system, but also the gnawing fear of the farmers lest they be left, as for many years in the 30's they were left, without seed and feed. These farmers are not idle hoarders, nor are they holding out for better prices. In the Great Plains the years of the locust are so fresh in the memory that the fat years have made them prudent.

Mr. LaGuardia is en route to the immense wheat belt west of the Missouri River to employ all his arts of presuasion by way of supplementing the cash and bonus arguments used by the Department of Agriculture. He is going straight to the bonanza wheat farm country of the Red River Valley in North Dakota. North Dakota bins contain no less than 35 per cent of the Nation's carryover, or 68 million bushels, equivalent to two loaves of bread for every living person. In addition to the carryover, the North Dakotans are now bringing in a bumper crop of winter wheat, the fifth in a row. The head of UNRRA has an enticing tongue for speaking to the dwellers in our wheat bowl. He is the voice of the starving people of many continents who are looking to him to bring them bread. To the God-fearing men of the Dakotas, Catholic and Lutheran, the appeal comes from men of like faith, men who read with them, though in many different tongues, the same warning from the same Book: "Inasmuch as ye did it not to one of the least of these, ye did it not to me."

The faith that binds the man who has to the man who has not is exemplified in the very name of the bountiful State of North Dakota. It is the Brotherhood State, the name Dakota being the name of an Indian tribe meaning friend, or ally. Only their enemies called them Sioux, or enemy. If they heed Mr. LaGuardia's appeal, they will be more than friends, they will be ministering angels, and the world will again witness a demonstration of what so few can do for so many. But—he who gives quickly, gives twice.

Truce In France

The violent debate that has broken out in France on the constitution which the Constituent Assembly recently drafted makes it clear that the three parties forming the present government coalition have come to the parting of the ways. The Communists are as strongly in favor of the proposed charter as the members of the Popular Republican Movement are against it. The Socialists have been taking a middle position. They agree that the draft constitution is far from perfect. But they feel that it is the best that could be had under present circumstances, that it represents an improvement over the constitution of 1875, and that it ought to be approved by the voters when the latter go to the polls on May 5.

A split in the Communist-Socialist-MRP coalition would at this moment be little short of a disaster. France still has a long way to go in her financial and economic rehabilitation before reconversion is anywhere near complete. And with the Foreign Ministers of the Big Four now meeting in Paris, in a conference which has rightly been described as the most important since the end of the war, an upset in the French government might have disturbing international consequence. For these reasons it is encouraging that all three parties have now reached a sort of standstill agreement. They have pledged themselves to maintain the present regime through the Foreign Ministers Conference, the electoral campaign for the constitutional referendum, and the election of a new Assembly on June 2. This agreement vouchsafes France at least a temporary measure of governmental harmony.

Marshall's Job

When General Marshall, President Truman's special Ambassador to China, left for home on March 11, the outlook for real peace and internal harmony in China was brighter than it had been for a long time. For this encouraging state of affairs General Marshall himself was to no small extent responsible. Through the exercise of endless patience and the display of a rigorous impartiality he had brought the Chungking leaders and the Chinese Communists together. An agreement was signed in General Marshall's presence in which both sides agreed to bury the hatchet. For his part Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek agreed to democratize his government. The Chinese Communists, in turn, declared their readiness to merge their military forces with those of the Chungking regime . . . A new and happier prospect for war-torn China loomed ahead.

Unhappily that prospect has turned out to be a mirage. No sooner had General Marshall left for America than the same chronic rivalries that have plagued China for so long began to reemerge and, on the eve of his return, flared into open war in Manchuria. At this distance it is difficult to assess responsibility for this disturbing state of affairs. On the one hand it appears that the right-wing elements of the Kuomintang have sought to sabotage Chiang's proposal to broaden the base of his government and end the one-party dictatorship. This was made evident at the March session of the Central Executive Committee of the Kuomintang. On the other hand the Chinese Communists have viewed with jaundiced eyes the arrival in Manchuria of government troops authorized to occupy places evacuated by the Russians. At Changchun, the Manchurian capital, this jockeying for position in China's richest region has led to open war.

General Marshall may now find it necessary to do all over again the job he thought he had done last winter. Yet obviously he cannot remain in China indefinitely. If China is to have permanent peace and unbroken harmony within its borders the Chinese themselves must see to it that these conditions prevail. But that, in turn, means that both sides must live up to the agreements they have entered into. Certainly, as long as China is torn by dissension, American aid, which China desperately needs, cannot be forthcoming. To get that aid China must put her house in order.

Beyond The Law

Mr. Leo Durocher, manager of the Brooklyn National League Baseball Club, and a Mr. Joseph Moore, a man of somewhat lesser celebrity employed as a special policeman at Ebbets Field, have just been acquitted in the Kings County Court of a charge of assault. The complainant in the case was a young man named John Christian, a veteran. Mr. Christian alleged that after a game at Ebbets Field one night last June Messrs. Durocher and Moore beat him severely with their fists and with a blackjack so that his jaw was fractured and he was obliged to spend the better part of a month in the hospital. The assault, it was said, was provoked by certain audible and intemperate criticisms of Mr. Durocher's professional abilities, of which, it appears, Mr. Christian held no very high opinion. Mr. Durocher, while admitting that he had argued this point rather vigorously, denied he had so much as "laid a finger" on Mr. Christian. Nevertheless, as the result of a civil suit growing out of the incident, the owners of the Brooklyn Club paid Mr. Christian $6750 in damages, but evidently this did not fully appease his desire for redress.

What gave the incident some importance was the difficulty of finding a jury capable of taking a sufficiently dispassionate view of the merits of the case. One panel was entirely exhausted and another largely exhausted before 12 men could be found who seemed willing to listen to the evidence before making up their minds irrevocably about whether Mr. Durocher and his co-defendant were or were not guilty as charged. Some of the talesmen, indeed, seemed to think it a sort of effrontery or *lese majesty* to bring such a sacrosanct personage as Mr. Durocher to trial at all. One of them, according to a report in the New York newspapers, even told the court that he really believed "a Brooklyn Dodger can do no wrong," thereby endowing Mr. Durocher and his colleagues with the legal status of a Byzantine basileus or a royal despot of the Renaissance.

Of course we have heard a good deal from time to time about the fanactical devotion of Brooklynites to their beloved Dodgers—a group of men who play baseball for money; scarcely any of them native to the city and few of them actually resident there—but until now we were inclined to consider it merely an intensified form of the pleasant mass fantasy with which baseball enthusiasts everywhere are able to relieve the tedium of ordinary existence. We had not quite accepted the view once expressed by Prof. Morris Raphael Cohen that for millions of Americans baseball is actually a religion and as such a profoundly serious and spiritual business. But if religious emotions associated with the cult of baseball in the holy city of Brooklyn are really so intense and profound that they can interfere with the normal operations of justice there, that is a serious business indeed.

A WEIGHTED BOUGH

Most lovely creature, silently
prepare for sleep and when you waken
I shall be a plum bough shaken,
all its blossoms heavy, waiting
but for you to rise,
that when you walk beneath their fall
your name each petal then will call
and I ensnare you in this wise.

DAVID HUDSON

Interesting Situation

Letters To The Editor

Communications must carry the writer's name and address though pen names are permitted at the editor's discretion. Letters of less than 200 words will be given preference. All letters are subject to condensation.

OPA Extension

I add my voice to the others who deplore the current threat in Congress to the continued effective operation of the OPA. The danger is shocking. It arises as an easily predictable and easily discernible result of authorized increases in labor prices in recent years—increases currently secured through paralyzing strikes.

The Government did not long maintain the somewhat noble (if asinine) position that wage increases would only be permitted if not directly requiring a price increase in the commodity produced in the affected industry. But apart from a direct inflation in that industry, a wage increase is, of course, inflationary in adding to the money available for consumer commodities generally. Coupled with a strike, a successful demand for a wage increase is trebly inflationary.

And so the question now is whether the columnists, editorial writers, representatives of labor and others who so earnestly detail the horrors of inflation have been similarly public spirited when labor has sponsored inflation.

I now propose, with every confidence that it will be adopted, a plan which may be supported by those persons sincerely interested in avoiding inflation. Invalidate all price increases, whether of labor or of commodities, granted since a fixed date—let us say January 1, 1943. Enforce commodity price ceilings, make strikes criminal, and enforce the sanctions provided. Follow this policy until production has had an opportunity to overtake demand. IMPARTIAL.

Chevy Chase, Md.

I regret to see in your usually excellent paper your editorial in favor of the OPA. If this organization ever had any merit, it has been lost in the handling.

It is much better to abandon the OPA and allow the law of supply and demand to have free operation. If we then have high prices, they will soon come down and everything will be settled quickly. With the OPA, peace and prosperity are bound to fly away. Let us be American again and trust in ourselves.

LOUIS A. DE CAZENOVE.

Alexandria, Va.

Food Campaign

The Post reports that an Emergency food collection campaign is to start May 12. Why not now? Such a campaign should have been started months ago.

Is the flotilla of ships, including the aircraft carrier Saratoga, that is setting out for destruction in the Pacific by atom bomb maneuvers, carrying all the food possible for delivery to stricken countries, prior to its destruction?

DOROTHY A. McLEAN.

Washington.

Why not sponsor a campaign, both locally and nationally, requesting the people to dig into their larders and give up 25 to 50 per cent of the non-perishable food to be shipped to the hungry in Europe. Every family has some small reserve and some much larger which could be spared and not interfere with ordinary production. F. R.

Washington.

That story on General Arnold by Ben Pearse in *The Post* of March 31 was the best thing of the kind I have read since Elbert Hubbard's Message to Garcia. The sub-headline was: "Everybody Except the Old Man Out of Step, and He Up and Proved It." Beneath the general's picture appeared the legend: "The word 'impossible' is Greek to him."

Face to face with world famine—with the earned good name of America as a Good Samaritan capable of performing at the zero hour at stake—there is imperative need of a man like General Arnold at the helm behind which Secretary of Agriculture Anderson stands crying: "I can't do it!" "It can't be done!" "The Government has done all it can do!" By his own admissions the present incumbent disqualifies himself for his supreme duty.

MERCER G. JOHNSTON.

Washington.

Radio Programs

This is to express appreciation for your services in two areas to a neglected section of the public; the good music afforded for at least one hour in the evening over WINX, and the editorial "Radio Responsibility" of March 31 concerning the type and extent of radio advertising, including cheap serials.

Is there no way in which this section of the public can make its voice more effective before the radio programs are set-up for the coming season? Turning off one's radio is not only a negative remedy; it does not help to provide the higher level of programs to which people are entitled.

When will advertisers learn that a clever or subtle reference is often better psychology than the crude, endless repetition of their wares—which method certainly drives some people away from them!

Please continue your good work, in making possible good music and in keeping this tremendous problem of radio uses and advertising before the public!

M. H. CLARKE,

Washington.

Profits On Capital

The appearance in *The Post* of April 18 of the International Harvester Corporation advertisement headed, "What Is Your Guess on Our Profits?" prompts me to protest the kind of misleading advertising that comes in such a steady stream from the various corporations.

The dishonesty is found in the continued reiteration by the corporation of their profits in terms of percentage of their sales. The International Harvester ad states the percentage of their profits in relation to *sales* to what they say an Opinion Research study finds the public's attitude to be with respect to profits in relation to *investment* of capital.

I checked the financial reports of one of these advertising corporations some months ago to discover that their 2.2 per cent profit on sales was actually 64 per cent profit on investment.

Since the huge war profits of most American corporations would show such a tremendous return on capital investment, they have thought up this device of relating their profits to sales in order to make the amount seem small to the general public.

Even more than the dishonesty in the statements in the ads, I resent the fact that these companies are lying to the public with the public's money, in that the cash they pay for their ads, in part at least, is my income tax money which, under our tax laws, is thus used to subsidize these corporations' advertising expenditures.

TED F. SILVEY.

Washington.

'Plight of Jews'

I want to thank you for publishing Marquis Childs' column of April 22, "Plight of the Jews in Europe." Being Jewish myself and long active in working for Jewish welfare, I am appreciative of your generous expression.

HORTENSE L. AMRAM.

Washington.

Spanish Republican View

As Spain seems about to become a power-politics football, with the desires of its people ignored, I submit this letter from a friend of mine—a young Spanish Republican, who naturally feels somewhat bitter. He says:

"How can you speak of internationalism to Spanish ex-soldiers who are now in France! After three years of war, they spent long years in France in concentration camps, first French and then German. When the hour of liberation arrived, they were the first to pick up arms in the name of liberty of the world, believing that justice had arrived for them.

"Now all the American, French and English youth, who believe in this better world and fought for it, can see with disillusionment, the cruel reality. But it is not so sad for them because, after all, they are the victors and they forget that in the battlefield that they now abandon victoriously, they leave a million dead Spaniards, like a million crosses crying for justice. For the victors are anxious to forget the tragedy and this selfishness will inevitably lead them into another war even more ferocious and terrible than the last.

"Our people only ask a little justice. We only ask that Franco will not be able to laugh impudently at the world, sitting over a million corpses, saying now that he is a lover of democracy; we only ask that the peoples of the world have enough courage to call these things by their right name, without the pussy-footing statesmen nor the diplomatic hypocrisy. We only ask that the world which calls itself democratic should not maintain relations with him who stains a victory that cost so many lives. Not to help our people will provoke a new civil war in Spain, but that doesn't seem to be disturbing the sleep of American and English statesmen.

"Of course, I know that the majority of the American and English people are against Franco, but that is not enough. It is necessary that the peoples make their voice heard and their will obeyed so as to make democracy a reality. Leaving all the responsibility to the leaders, thus shielding their indolence, only will come to the same end as Germany with Hitler.

"The consequences caused by this fear of complying with even the most elementary laws of justice are already being felt. The victory has been reduced to a simple race for predominance, in a fight of imperialisms and interests. Russia will continue to ask for more and more as Hitler did before him and the Allies will not be able to make a claim for justice for the peoples that the Soviet subject, because they themselves are the first ones in denying this justice to those who deserve it most.

"Our feeble republic was the most faithful reproduction of this idealistic internationalism of which you tell me. Perhaps it would be difficult to believe, but Spain was one of the only countries—if not the only one—that did not maintain a secret service in other countries; nor did it have any treaties or military aliances with anybody, because they didn't believe in a war as a means or an end. The response of the world to this idealistic (quixotic) politics is very well known to everyone, even if they try quickly to forget it."

L. L.

Washington.

Washington Calling

By Marquis Childs

Full Employment

SOME MEMBERS OF Congress who worked hardest for its adoption are beginning to wonder what has happened to the so-called full employment bill. More than two months ago—on February 20—it was approved by President Truman, and yet no action has been taken.

As passed by Congress, the bill calls for the creation of a Council of Economic Advisers. The council is to be made up of "three members who shall be appointed by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, and each of whom shall be a person who, as a result of his training, experience and attainments, is exceptionally qualified to analyze and interpret economic developments, to appraise programs and activities of the Government . . . and to formulate and recommend national economic policy to promote employment, production and purchasing power under free competitive enterprise."

When the bill was before Congress, President Truman rated it as one of his major "must" measures. He has frequently intimated that delays by Congress were crippling his program. Yet two months have gone by and he has not appointed the Economic Council called for under the bill.

While it is true that the full employment bill was pretty badly watered down by Congress, those who have studied it believe that, even in its present form, it could be a powerful policy-making weapon. Under the law the President is required to submit an annual economic report to Congress containing recommendations for promoting useful employment "for those able, willing and seeking to work."

The Council of Economic Advisers would help the President prepare this report. And he is empowered to send supplementary reports to Congress if important changes in economic trends occur.

Such a report, prepared with careful documentation, would have the prestige of the Presidency behind it. Congress might not like the recommendations. But it would be hard to ignore them since, if the President's predictions were proved right and wholesale unemployment should follow without any action by Congress to avert it, Congress would be on the spot.

THEY STILL TALK here in Washington of a prediction made by Leon Henderson in February of 1937. At that point, business recovery seemed to be assured. President Roosevelt ordered cuts in relief and public works. But Henderson based his predictions on the deep, underlying trends. He saw that monopoly prices were going up while employment was going down. On that basis, he called the turn on the slump of 1938, when the business index dropped more sharply than it had even in the great depression of 1930-33.

If the Henderson report of that time had been issued with the authority of the White House, the slump of '38 might have been avoided. Instead the report was brushed aside and, prematurely, the budget balancers had their way.

Interestingly enough, Henderson has been sounded out for one of the three positions on the Economic Council. These positions will pay $15,000 a year. Told that he had the highest number of recommendations of all those considered, Henderson sent back word that he could not consider returning to the Government.

To begin with, he is making several times that amount as economic consultant for several large corporations. But there may well have been another and more important reason for his refusal.

The men around President Truman have not encouraged liberals of the forthrightness of Henderson to remain in the Government. Another liberal economist under consideration, Robert Nathan, would probably also say no. Nathan is at present in France on a private mission.

THE ATMOSPHERE in the White House since Truman's advent has been one of such extreme caution as to discourage any bold thinking. There has been an exodus of the younger and bolder men who helped frame policy in the Roosevelt Administration.

Unemployment, of course, is not a major problem at this moment. The jobless figure for the first week in March was 2,710,000. That compares with 800,000 on VJ-Day.

The total is far below original expectations. But even if the number of jobs should increase, as the Veterans Administration predicts, boom employment cannot prevail forever. There are about 1,500,000 veterans now classified as unemployed who soon will be looking for job opportunities.

In the time of testing and trial ahead the President's Economic Council could serve an important function.

Greek Starvation

It is sad to learn from Mr. Hoover's report that the Greek people are living on a semistarvation diet and it might even get worse. The Greek people obviously are getting it from both ends. The Germans tortured and starved them to death, because they dared interfere with the German plans to reach the Middle East—which immeasurably helped the Allied victory—and now they are on a semistarvation diet. After 18 months of liberation, reports indicate that very little is done to help them rehabilitate themselves, but the least we could do—we, their Allies—would be to save them from starvation. Shame and more shame! B. C. RODES.

Washington.

Pay Increases Approved for Md. Road Aides

Annapolis, Md., April 25 (AP).—Governor O'Conor approved today 23 recommendations of the Standard Salary Board for wage increases, in some cases nearly 50 per cent, for engineering workers of the State roads commission, effective July 1.

The recommendations were made after a study by the American Society of Civil Engineers, which showed Maryland roads workers received less than those in other States and much less than those on similar jobs in private industry.

Typical of the increases in the lower brackets were those granted junior draftsmen, road inspectors and junior engineering aides.

Junior draftsmen II, whose present salaries range from $900 to $1125, will receive $1760 to $2200.

Road inspectors III will receive $2200 to $2750. Their present scale is $1080 to $1350.

Junior engineering aides will receive $2200 to $2750. Their present wage is $1150 to $1440.

Increases will diminish slightly as the salary scales rise. For instance, in the middle brackets, Road inspectors I will jump from a $2000-to-$2500 scale to $2900 to $3625.

Upper bracket increases will rise to $6000. Senior assistant highway engineers will receive $4900 to $6125 against a present salary of $4000 to $5000. A similar salary will be paid equipment engineers.

Further studies are being made on the top brackets, the Governor said, for engineers in the roads commission, health department and the public service commission.

The new increases were granted, the chief executive explained, "to attract personnel to State work as well as to retain able employes now in the service who have shown a tendency to leave for higher wages."

O'Conor Orders Matapeake Park Plans to Proceed

Annapolis, Md., April 25 (AP).—Governor O'Conor today ordered the Board of Natural Resources to proceed with plans for a State park at Matapeak, which he said would cost "less than $100,000."

The Governor said he had asked the board to use the services of the State Department of Forests and Parks and of the Department of Health on various phases of park planning.

He said he took the step in order to have the park available at the earliest possible time.

The chief executive explained that $100,000 estimate was the "outside" cost and it was likely there would be enough of the appropriated $250,000 park fund left for development of other areas.

The Lusby tract, one of those surveyed by a commission on selecting park sites, was estimated to cost $106,000.

In any case, the Governor said, the funds at hand would provide for acquiring other park sites if developments had to be postponed.

Moore House Open Again to Visitors Near Yorktown

Richmond, Va., April 25 (AP).—The historic Moore House near Yorktown, property of the National Park Service, has been reopened to visitors, the Virginia State Chamber of Commerce announced today.

The Moore House is the place where commissioners of the French and American forces under George Washington and the British under Cornwallis met October 18, 1781, and agreed on terms of surrender of Cornwallis, which took place the next day.

The house will be open from 10 a. m. to 6 p. m. daily except Tuesdays.

The house was restored by the National Park Service some years ago and has been refurnished through contributions by the Daughters of the American Revolution and the Children of the American Revolution and the Daughters of Cincinnati and other patriotic groups.

The Colonial National Parkway, also closed during the war years, has been reopened to visitors. The parkway follows the banks of the York River and winds through stretches of woodland.

State Police to Sell Confiscated Whisky

Baltimore, April 25 (AP).—The State police department will sell 840 pints and 168 fifths of whisky—most of it several years old—to the highest bidder at 10 a. m. next Wednesday.

The whisky, confiscated while being transported illegally, will be sold for the benefit of the department's pension fund.

P.S.—Only licensed dealers will be allowed to bid.

$1000 Fire Sweeps College Clubroom

Staunton, Va., April 25 (AP).—Flames of unknown origin yesterday swept the clubroom at Mary Baldwin College, causing smoke and fire damage estimated at approximately $1000.

The fire burned out the north wall of the main room on the first floor of the alumnae clubhouse building and destroyed flooring and furniture.

Miss Annie F. Myer

Fredericksburg, Va., April 25.—Funeral services were held here today for Miss Annie F. Myer, member of a family long prominent in Fredericksburg. She had been in failing health for several years. Surviving are two nieces, Mrs. Mary M. Woodbridge and Miss Elizabeth Eckenrode, of this city, and a nephew, Dr. H. J. Eckenrode, historian of the State conservation commission.

Gets 20 Years in Slaying

Associated Press Photo

FOUND GUILTY—Ralph H. Garner (right), former Harrisonburg restaurant man, was found guilty of second degree murder in the death of Frank C. Smith, war veteran, and was sentenced to 20 years in the State Penitentiary. Garner is shown leaving the Rockingham County Courthouse with Attorney Charles A. Hammer, jr.

Movie Filming Gives Thrill to Quiet Hurlock

Hurlock, Md., April 25 (AP).—This quiet Dorchester County community returned to its usual placid ways today after nearly a week of hubbub that turned the clock back 100 years and attracted some 10,000 visitors in the space of four days.

The occasion was the filming of a re-enactment the Pennsylvania Railroad's first train ruin in 1846. This section was chosen for the movie because of its resemblance to Lewiston, Pa., actual scene of the event.

An old, wood-burning engine puffed through the community, drawing two cumbersome wooden coaches. Stagecoaches drawn by spanking teams met the train at the station.

Business virtually closed and school children took half holidays to join the excitement.

A battery of motion picture cameras ground away every detail of the 1846 scene while hundreds of Eastern Shoremen looked on, watching 28 actors and actresses perform in the costumes of a century ago.

The picture is part of a two-reel film being shot to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the railroad. The completed film will be offered to schools, clubs, and civic organizations for exhibition, an official said.

Actual shooting started Tuesday after rehearsals and was expected to have been completed today.

W. E. Harper, railroad station agent here, said he thought "everybody in Dorchester, Wicomico, Somerset and Worcester Counties has been here since Sunday." He estimated the total crowd at 10,000.

Methodists Plan Memorial Camp

Charlottesville, Va., April 25 (Spl.).—At the eightieth annual session of the Charlottesville District Conference, Methodist Church, held today in the Palmyra church, Fluvanna County, attended by representatives from 27 pastoral charges, plans were completed for a memorial training camp to be located in Amherst County in honor of the 2000 men and women from the churches of the district who served in the recent war. The project will cost $10,000.

The Rev. Bernard S. Via, of this city, district superintendent, presided over the sessions, and the host pastor was the Rev. E. B. Dean. Guest speaker at the noon hour was Dr. A. P. Williams, pastor Monument Methodist Church, Richmond. In keeping with the Crusade emphasis, his topic was "Evangelism."

Va. Parley Slated On Historic Relics

Williamsburg, Va., April 25 (AP). Problems relating to utilization of objects and physical remains in historic research will be discussed at a conference to be held in Colonial National Bany May 6-7, under the joint sponsorship of the American Council of Learned Societies and the National Park Service.

Park service officials said the conference will be attended by representatives of universities and colleges in Virginia and neighboring states, the Institute of Early American History and Culture, Colonial Williamsburg, Inc., the National Park Service and its advisory board members, among others.

Business Teachers To Meet Tomorrow

Fredericksburg, Va., April 25 (Spl.).—Teachers of business and commerce of 24 Virginia counties will meet at Mary Washington College on Saturday to take part in forum discussions of business education.

At the morning session, sponsored jointly b ythe State department of education and Mary Washington College, Dr. Herbert Freeman, head of the department of business education at New Jersey State Teachers College, will speak on "A Pattern for Business Education in the Secondary Schools." Dr. Fred Alexander and A. L. Walker, both of the State department of education, will also be speakers.

H. R. Richardson, principal of George Washington High School, Aexandria; Miss Eva Harbaugh of Washington-Lee High School, Arlington, and E. J. Heglar, supervisor of commercial education in Fairfax County, will lead forums discussions during the afternoon session.

Court Weighs Defense Move In Garner Case

Harrisonburg, Va., April 25 (AP)—Ralph H. (Slim) Garner, former Harrisonburg restaurant manager, was found guilty of murder in the second degree and his punishment fixed at 20 years in the state penitentiary by a Rochingham County circuit court jury last night. Garner was charged with murder in the death of Frank C. Smith, World War II veteran, on February 20, 1945.

Judge H. W. Bertram took under advisement a defense motion to set aside the verdict.

The jury's verdict was returned at 8:50 p. m. and the motion to set aside was taken under consideration by the court after a hearing which lasted until 10:06 p. m., during which the defense had made a motion that the jury be dismissed and a mistrial be declared.

The motion for mistrial was based on technicalities which resulted from the jury bringing in a verdict not properly signed by the foreman and in which had been used the term "sentenced" instead of punishment fixed at."

Defense Attorney T. Warren Messick stated that he was asking that the motion to set aside the verdict be taken under consideration because he did not feel that the defendant shoul dbe put to "the enormous expense of carrying his case to the court of appeals."

In the trial of Garner, the commonwealth had sought to prove a love affair between Garner and Mrs. Smith, widow of the dead man, who was sentenced at the October term of Rockingham County Circuit Court to 20 years in prison for murder in the death of her husband.

Martinsburg Firm Shares War Profits With Employes

Martinsburg, W. Va., April 25 (AP).—The Interwoven Stocking Co. announced today it will distribute more than $430,000 in wartime profits among approximately 2500 employes within the next three months.

The amount had been set aside in a profit-sharing trust for payment during the next 10 years, the company explained, to permit employes to share in any abnormal profits from war production.

Decision to make the payments immediately, the company said, was reached so employes might have cash for useful purposes. It said a survey showed the employes plan to use the money for home repairs, new automobiles, purchase of home furnishings, vacations and other things.

The trust was operated from 1943 through 1945, and payments for the three years will be made on the first of May, June and July.

Company employes received a direct wage increase in January, 1946, at the termination of the profit-sharing plan.

2 Men Questioned In Criminal Attack

Portsmouth, Va., April 25 (AP). Norfolk County police said they were questioning a man today in the rape of a 12-year-old girl in Riverdale Tuesday night. Another man was questioned yesterday but no charges have been preferred against either.

The girl was ravished after she and a 13-year-old boy companion were stopped while riding a motor scooter on Porter road and forced to walk to a field near the Riverdale school, police reported.

Fruit Growers to Meet

Winchester, Va., April 25.—Members of the Frederick County Fruit Growers Association at their regular monthly meeting tomorrow night will hear a report on fruit prospects of the State and Nation by A. H. Teske, extension horticulturist from VPI.

Unique PW Camp to Close At Frederick

Frederick, Md., April 25 (Spl.).—Prisoner of war labor has been declared surplus as of May 1, and the camp near this city will be closed and offered at public auction, W. Alvord Sherman, assistant State supervisor of emergency farm labor, announced in reviewing activities of the camp established here in 1944.

The Frederick camp, Sherman said, is the only one in Maryland, built and paid for by the citizens of the community. The prisoners, most of whom were capteure in Africa, operated their own camp government under the direction of their chaplain and group spokesmen. One of the outstanding performances of the prisoners was in the 1945 American Red Cross drive for funds, when the captives averaged $6 contributions, which, it was explained, was far above the average for American citizens.

The camp cost $20,000, with funds supplied by local lime manufacturers, orchardists, canners and the University of Maryland, which contributed $5000 on behalf of farmers. Original investments have been returned in full and all but the university have received five per cent interest on their investments. Money obtained from sale of the camp will be distributed to users of prison labor on a percentage basis, Sherman said.

Altogether, 525 farmers and 20 industries have employed the prisoners the past two years, Sherman said. About $300,000 has been paid to the Army for labor performed. About $200,000 of that amount was paid by farmers and $100,000 by agricultural industries. The prisoners, Sherman said, were paid an average of 40 cents an hour for far mlabor and about 50 cents an hour for work in industries. Each prisoner received 80 cents a day and the balance was paid to the Government.

The cost of the camp, Sherman explained, was liquidated through a five cents per hour levy from all employers.

One of the gretest difficulties experienced in runing the camp, Capt. W. R. Burgess, commandant, said was in keeping civilians from letting their pity get the better of them. Many sympathetic persons endangered the program by trying to give clothes, tobacco, money and other gifts to the prisoners in violation of regulations.

Britain Again Seeks Va. Apples

Winchester, Va., April 25 (AP).—Virginia apple growers, who exported large quantities of apples to England before the war, may resume that trade in the near future, they expect.

Joe L. Lyons, member of a large London brokerage firm, has advised he will be here about May 1 to contact growers concerning the resumption of trade relations. Lyons is throught to be the first British apple importer to approach the growers here since the war interrupted the trane. In some past years, Virginia growers exported as much as 40 per hent of their annual apple crop to the United Kingdom.

Weekend of Festivities To Start at U. of Va.

Charlottesville, Va., April 25 (AP). Two dances, a beauty contest, a ball game and the Phi Delta Phi legal fraternity's revival of its annual burlesque, "Libel," are on the program for the University of Virginia's first postwar "Easter Week" Friday and Saturday.

College Topics, the student newspaper, is sponsoring the beauty contest among girls attending the dances. John R. Powers, head of the New York model agency, will be chief judge.

Soldier-Priest To Take Pulpit At Waynesboro

Richmond, Va., April 25 (AP).—Father Eugene P. Walsh, the soldier-priest who climaxed two years of campaigining in the Pacific by saying the prayer when the first American flag was raised over Tokyo, has been designated pastor of St. John's Catholic Church in Waynesboro, the Most Rev. Peter L. Ireton, Bishop of Richmond, announced today.

Father Walsh, formerly assistant pastor of St. Peter's Church here, was discharged from the Chaplains Corps last Thursday as a full colonel. He will assume his duties in Waynesboro on May 15 as the city's first full-time Catholic pastor. Hitherto, St. John's has been served as a mission of Staunton.

A native of Pennsylvania, the 39-year-old priest was ordained in 1933 upon his graduation from Mount St. Mary's Seminiary, Emmitsburg, Md. He served as assistant pastor at St. Elizabeth's Church, Colonial Beach, and the Church of the Assumption, Keyser, W. Va., before his assignment to St. Peter's.

Commissioned as a chaplain in 1935, he was called into active service with the twenty-ninth division early in 1941. In 1943 he was assigned to the Pacific Theater, and made first-wave landings with troops at Leyte and Mindanao. He served on all the major islands in the Philippines, and landed in Tokyo September 8, 1945, with the First Cavalry Divison.

Reclassifying Asked in Truck Liability Rates

Richmond, Va., April 25 (AP).—Motor vehicle liability insurance companies asked the State Corporation Commission today to approve a reclassification of commercial motor vehicles for insurance purposes and a 10 per cent surcharge for vehicles operating beyond a 50-mile radius of the city or town in which they are garaged.

A. E. Spottke, manager of the automobile division of the National Bureau of Casualty and Surety Writers, testified that the reclassifications proposed were in line with plans already adopted in 44 or 45 other States.

The separate classification for vehicles customarily used beyond a 50-mile radius, he said, is sought because experience shows that trucks operating beyond this distance constitute more hazardous operations than short-trip vehicles.

This proposed new classification would not affect farmers or persons hauling fruit and poultry because their rates already take into account the fact that they frequently exceed a 50-mile radius, Spottke said.

The witness testified that the reclassifications are estimated to produce approximately the same income as the present system.

The proposed changes would not affect private automobiles not used for commercial purposes.

W. Va. Girl Is Killed In Motorcycle Crash

Winchester, Va., April 25 (AP).—A young woman, identified as Miss Florence E. Boseley of Elk Garden, W. Va., was killed instantly and her companion injured when a motorcycle on which they were riding ran off the roadway on Route 50 about six miles west of Winchester last night.

Driver of the motorcycle, Kenneth Sager of Mathias, W. Va., was brought to the Winchester Memorial Hospital where it was found he had a fractured leg, as well as severe cuts. Sager said he was recently discharged from the Navy.

Livestock and Produce

Baltimore Livestock

Baltimore, April 25 (AP). (USDA)—CATTLE—Receipts, 300; 75 holdovers not included. Receipts all classes extremely light. General trade active, all slaughter classes fully steady with earlier receipts. Two truck lots choice fed steers, 1030-1140 lbs., 17.75 early top; few lots top good and choice, 16.85@17.35; low and average good short-fed, 16.00@16.80; top good and choice-fed heifers, 15.50@16.00; low and average good short-fed, 14.00@15.00; common and medium, 10.50@13.50; smooth young medium grade cows, 13.00@13.00, few high-yielding individuals to 14.00; common, 10.00@11.50; canners and cutters, 7.50@9.50, mostly 8.00 up. Good beef bulls, 14.00@15.75. Good weighty sausage bulls, 13.00@13.50. Cutters, common and medium, 10.00@12.50. No early action on stockers and feeders.

CALVES—Receipts, 200. Vealers and weighty slaughter calves steady with Wednesday. Mixed lots good and choice, 120-220 lbs. vealers, largely 16.50@18.00; strictly choice weighty vealers, 18.50, the ceiling; common and medium, 10.50@13.50, mostly 12.00 up; culls around 8.50; extreme lightweights down to 5.00. Good weighty slaughter calves, 14.00; common and medium, 10.00@13.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 350. Active barrows and gilts from 140-400 lbs. steady with Wednesday; 400-450 lbs. 20 cents higher. Sows 15 cents higher. Good and choice barrows and gilts from 140-450 lbs., 15.40, the ceiling. Good sows, 14.65, the ceiling.

SHEEP—Receipts, 25. Nominally steady. Good and choice-fed wooled lambs quotable from 16.00@16.50; common and medium, 12.00@15.00. Culls around 9.00. Choice lightweight wooled slaughter meat, 7.00. Common and good, 3.50@6.50, according to grade and condition.

Richmond Markets

Richmond, Va., April 25 (AP).—Fruits and vegetables: Prices represent sales on wholesale markets:

WHITE POTATOES—Receipts moderate; market steady; 100-lb. sacks, New York and Maine, 3.60@4.00.

POTATOES—New: Florida, Red Bliss, market steady, 2.50@3.00, 50-lb. bags; Hastings white potatoes, 100-lb. bags, 5.00@5.50.

SWEET POTATOES—Market firm; Louisiana, South Carolina, North Carolina, 3.50@4.00.

LETTUCE—Market steady; receipts light; 4 and 5 dozen crates, California, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, 2.00@4.00.

CABBAGE—Receipts moderate; market very strong; Florida, Georgia, South Carolina, 2.50@3.00.

EGGS—Prices paid net to producers f. o. b. Richmond: Market firm; receipts fairly liberal; whites, browns: U. S. grade A, large, 33@36; U. S. grade A, medium, 31@33; U. S. grade B, large, 31; U. S. grade C, 27@28; pullets, 27; current receipts, 28@30.

LIVE POULTRY—Prices paid net to producers f. o. b. Richmond: Market firm and active; receipts young chickens very scarce, other classes moderate; these prices subject to hauling allowance by OPA: roasters, 25@28; fryers an dbroilers, 28@30.9; colored fowl, 25@25½; leghorn fowl, 23@24; old roosters, 20.

HOGS—Market at ceiling 14.90 (flat) on good and choice barrows and gilts 120-330 lbs. up; 100-120 lbs., 13.40; good sows under 350 lbs., 14.15; 350-500 lbs., 14.15; weights over 500 lbs., 14.15; good stags, 14.15.

CATTLE—Good steers, 16.50@17.00; extra-good higher; medium, 15.00@16.00; common, 12.00@14.00; heifers, 50@1.00, lower than steers; good cows, 12.00@13.50; extra-good and young higher; medium, 11.00@12.00; common, 10.00@11.00; cutters, 9.00@10.00; canners, 7.50@8.50, some lower; good bulls, 12.00@13.00, some extra good up to 14.00; medium, 11.00@12.00; common, 9.00@10.00; some lower; good vealers, 16.00@17.50; extra good higher; medium, 15.00@16.00; common, 10.00@13.00, thin kinds less.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, April 25 (AP) (USDA).—SALABLE HOGS—Receipts, 7000; total, 16,000; active, steady; good and choice barrows and gilts, 14.85, ceiling; sows and stags, 14.10, ceiling; complete early clearance.

SALABLE CATTLE—Receipts 3000, total 3000; salable calves 600, total 600; fed steers and yearlings 10 to 15 cents higher; active at advance; abridged receipts main stimulating influence; largely medium to good grade steer run; top 17.60 paid for 1275-lb. averages; best yearlings, 17.25; bulk steers sold on early round at 15.00@17.00; heifers strong, best 17.00; peddling, steady market on cows; bulls 25 cents higher; vealers steady at 17.00 down; heavy beef bulls reached 15.25; dairybreds 14.00 down; good to choice 700-lb. stock steers, 16.50.

SALABLE SHEEP—Receipts, 9000; total, 10,000; slaughter lambs active, steady to 15 cents higher, bulk of run sold on early round; good to choice fed wooled Western lambs, 16.10@16.25; medium and good grades, 14.00@15.60, including eight loads wheat pasture lambs at 14.00 and 14.50; four loads good to choice fed clipped lambs, No. 1 and No. 2 pelts, 15.25; load medium and good kinds with No. 2 pelts, 14.00; slaughter ewes again

Md. Wardens Clamp Down; Many Arrests

Baltimore, Md., April 25 (AP).—Richard T. Norris, deputy chief warden of the State Game and Inland Fish Commission, announced today that an intensified drive against game law violations had boosted the number or arrests "considerably" over recent years.

Approximately 35 deputy game wardens are on duty throughout Maryland and State Game Warden Earnest A. Vaughn is expected to announce the appointment of five others next week. There are vacancies in Garrett, Allegany, Washington, Worcester and Baltimore counties.

Deputy wardens are reporting an average of about 12 violations per day, Norris said. The principal violation at present is fishing without a license, or permitting dogs to run loose and pursue game.

Other arrests have been made for fishing in restricted areas, fishing with borrowed licenses, having undersized fish in possession, having loaded shotguns in automobiles, having bass or perch in possession out of season.

Fines of $10 and costs are levied against persons convicted of most offenses except permitting dogs to run loose. Penalty for the latter is a $5 fine and costs.

One Frostburg man was fined $10 April 16 for having a loaded shotgun in his car, and Magistrate J. U. Stanton of Grantsville fined the same man $10 April 22 for having black bass in possession. Arrests were made by Deputy Warden Theodore Thoerig.

Four Washington, D. C., men were arrested in Montgomery County and paid $10 fines each for fishing without licenses.

Norris said this has been an unusually heavy spring fishing season with a record number of fishermen out, and "our men are checking streams closer than ever before."

Apprenticeship Group Named for State Newspapers

Richmond, Va., April 25 (AP).—R. H. Wilson, State director of apprenticeship training has announced a State-wide apprenticeship committee for the newspaper industry.

The eight-man committee, appointed by Miss Daphne Dailey, president of the Virginia Press Association, will be enlarged to represent each of the graphic arts, it was said. The committee will set up standards for the graphic arts in Virginia, classify newspaper shops and relate the supply of skilled workers to employment demands.

Members of the committee already named are:

L. E. Cumbie, president of Allied Printing Trades Association of Richmond; R. K. Smith, president of the Richmond Typographical Union, No. 90; Charles J. Hughes, instructor of printing at Binford Junior High School; George W. Turner, pressman union, Local 40, representing labor; and

A. Robbins of Hopewell News; Josiah R. Rowe, jr., and Perry A. Thompson of Fredericksburg Free Lance Star, and R. S. Davis of Crewe Chronicle, representing management.

Fredericksburg Alters 150-Year-Old City Hall

Fredericksburg, Va., April 25 (Spl.).—The first major structural changes in Fredericksburg's 150-year-old city hall are now being made.

The city council chambers on the first floor of the south wing will be moved to the second floor to occupy what has been an assembly room for the public. The offices of City Manager L. J. Houston, jr., will expand into the council chamber.

The building was the scene of a grand ball given in 1824 for General Lafayette, who was visiting the United States for the first time after tht Revolutionary War.

Banquet Climaxes Clubwomen's Rally

Richmond, Va., April 25 (AP).—A banquet tonight climaxed the annual convention of the Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs. The program for today featured a community activities panel, and a session on club problems.

Fine Arts awards, winners of the poetry contest and scrap book awards were announced last night.

Miss Teresa Fitzpatrick, member of the Atlantic Monthly editorial staff, in an address last night urged the clubwomen to enlarge their interests and their life through reading.

Citizens' Group Favors Legalized Gambling

A resolution favoring legalized gambling in Prince Georges County was passed Wednesday night by the Temple Hill Citizens Association, meeting at the home of Harold Cook, 5068 Temple Hill rd.

The group also approved resolutions urging the institution of the dispensary system in the sale of liquor, the appointment of a sealer of deights and measures for the county, and the adoption of a merit system of pay raises for school teachers.

The Federal Diary

By Jerry Kluttz

UPW Group to Fight Russian Resolution

Atlantic City, N. J. April 25.—A rump session of politically middle of the road delegates in protest to what they charge is the infiltration of Communist sympathizers into positions of leadership in CIO's United Public Workers of America was called here for today.

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The insurgent delegates are expected to protest the foreign policy resolution adopted overwhelmingly by the convention on Wednesday which, in effect, expressed sympathy for Soviet Russia and charged that the United States and Britain were bullying that nation.

The session was called by Peter Demas, a native-born Greek and a legionnaire, who is employed at the State home for boys at Jamesburg, N. J. Demas told reporters that he was interested in developing delinquent boys to become good Americans and that "I don't want them to thing I belong to an Un-American organization."

He said from 100 to 150 delegates and alternates had approached him and promised him support after his losing fight to get the foreign policy resolution revised to demand that Russia withdraw her troops from Bulgaria, Poland, Estonia, and other friendly European countries.

The resolution adopted demanded only that the United States and British withdraw their troops from China, Greece, France, India, and other friendly countries.

Demas said he became convinced that he should renew his fight after CIO President Philip Murray clearly inferred in a speech earlier to the convention that he agreed with the New Jersey union member.

What Murray said specifically was that the "maintenance of large armies by any country constitutes a threat to the peace of the world," a statement, incidentally, that brought him only a scattering of applause.

After his speech Murray made it plain to reporters that he meant what he said when he called for universal demobilization of military forces of all countries. He said he did not agree that Russia should be exempted.

The CIO president added philosophically that such controversies are bound to happen but that he did not care to discuss it further.

But whether Demas and his followers will be able to get the resolution amended is highly improbable. Demas charged the presiding officers wouldn't recognize him to permit him to speak on the floor yesterday.

Murray confined his speech largely to the need to organize Government workers. He called for free collective bargaining on wages, hours, and working conditions between the Government and its employes.

The key to collective bargaining, he said, was organization of the unorganized, and then he added:

"If all the public employes in New York were organized, I have a notion that even a Tom Dewey would be glad to bargain with you."

Murray said he forsaw a union of millions out of the merger of the United Federal Workers of America and the State, county, and municipal workers into United Public Wörkers of America, officially so named yesterday.

Government workers are human beings, the CIO chief said, and they must by necessity indulge in political action. He then urged the retirement of the Bilboes and the Rankins from Congress.

The strike provision in the constitution inspired a debate but the committee recommendations was accepted by a close voice vote. Several delegates took the floor to argue against the policy provision which said it was the policy of the union not to engage in strikes.

Don Murray of Washington, explained that the provision did not bar strikes! "We have the right to strike, but it is our policy not to strike."

He said that Attorney General Tom Clark recently had ruled that there was no prohibition to prevent federal workers from striking. Clark, he said, gave his opinion to Senator Langer of North Dakota. Murray reminded the delegates that the union has an important public relations job to do and that, after all, the public was their employer.

The convention adopted a resolution which urged the President and the Civil Service Commission to establish policies which will prevent the burden of further lay-offs from being borne disproportionately by Negro and other minorities.

During the debate it was charged that the offices of the US Employment Service in Washington were "Completely Jim Crow."

The union also urged professional status for all nurses and another resolution was adopted which asked equal pay for equal work for Negroes and whites in the South.

Officers will be elected today. The slate of candidates is: Abram Flaxer of New York, president; Eleanor Nelson of Washington, secretary-treasurer, and three of the six vice presidents are to be L. E. Tempest, Thomas Richardson, and Arthur Stein, all of Washington.

The convention hopes to adjourn tomorrow night.

Old Richmond Home Disappoints Lady Astor

Richmond, Va., April 25 (AP).—Lady Astor, whose visits from England to her former home were interrupted during the war years, said today that although "Richmond looks lovely," the part she remembers best is ruined.

"Why I rode by my old home at 101 West Franklin st. and I didn't even know it," she said regretfully.

Lady Astor, who with Lord Astor is guest of Mrs. Saunders Hobson here, said in an interview that she loves America and talk so much about Virginia when she's in England that "some people think I have just come over!"

Large Tomato Acreage Foreseen in County

Winchester, Va., April 25 (Spl.). The tomato acreage in Frederick County this year will be higher than at first anticipated, County Agent L. Fred Stine predicted today in calling a meeting of growers and county canners to be held at his office Monday night. Stine stated the agenda would consist of a discussion of production and marketing problems.

Many orchardists who turned to tomatoes last year when freezes cut their apple crops are planing to set plants out again this spring, he stated.

School Board Forced To Reduce Estimates

Winchester, Va., April 25 (Spl.). In order to get in line with the board of supervisors appropriation, members of the Frederick County School Board were forced today to pare $37,000 off their estimate of money needed for the 1946-47 school term.

Leslie D. Kline, superintendent, stated that plans for the purchase of new buses had to be discarded; also a plan to hire seven additional teachers. A total of $1200 for repairs was lopped off and an additional $10 monthly income for teachers from county funds eliminated, he said.

Man Gets Three Years On Girl's Accusation

Staunton, Va., April 25 (AP).—On a plea of guilty to statutory rape, without force, George H. Sensabaugh, 20, World War II veteran, was sentenced yesterday in corporation court by Judge J. Harry May to three years in the State penitentiary.

The veteran, who was wounded in Germany, admitted having intimate relations with a girl under the age of consent, but claimed that force was not used. This, together with his war record and his first appearance in court, lessened his sentence, Judge May declared.

Local Produce

EGGS—Market steady; whites, browns, mixed colors, U. S. grade A, large, 38; mediums, 32@33; average, 32; U. S. grade B, large, 33@34, average 33½; U. S. grade C, 28@31, average 29.

LIVE POULTRY—Market firm; broilers and fryers and roasters, all sizes, 40; fowl, 34.70.

Fruits and Vegetables

(Sales on wholesale market in less than carlot quantities.)

ASPARAGUS—Pyramid crates, doz. bunches; New Jersey, large, 4.00@4.50; mostly 4.50; medium, 3.00; South Carolina, very light, various sizes, 2.00@3.00; Delaware, various sizes, 2.50@3.00, mostly 3.00; California, loose, 3.00@3.25; extra, select, 4.00@5.00, mostly 4.50; select, 3.75@4.00; extra fancy, 3.50@3.75, mostly 3.50; fancy, 3.00.

CABBAGE—Domestic round type, 50-lb. sacks, unless otherwise stated; Florida, mostly 2.50; few 2.75; South Carolina and Georgia, 2.00@2.50, mostly 2.25; bushel baskets, packed locally, 2.25@2.50, mostly 2.25.

CARROTS—L. A. crates, 6 doz., California, 4.50@5.00; few 5.10, mostly 4.50; few low as 4.00; Arizona, mostly 4.50, few high as 5.00, few low as 4.00; Texas, 3.75@4.50, mostly 4.25; California, topped, washed, 50-lb. sacks, 2.50.

CELERY—Florida, 16-in. wire-bound crates, trimmed tops, Golden Heart, 3-6 doz., 3.50@4.00, mostly 3.50@2.75; 8-10 doz., 3.00@3.50, mostly 3.00@3.25; Pascal, 2½-4 doz., 3.50@3.75 few 4.00.

LETTUCE—Arizona and California, L. A. crates, Iceberg type, 4-5 doz., 5-pk. hampers, Iceberg type, 1.25@1.50; Big Boston type, 2.00@2.50, mostly 2.25; South Carolina, 5-pk. hampers, Big Boston type, 2.25@2.50; bushel hampers, Iceberg type, 1.25@1.50; 5-pk. hampers, Romaine, 1.75@2.25, few 2.50.

ONIONS—50-lb. sacks, Texas yellow Bermudas and Babosas, 3.25@3.50, mostly 3.50, few 3.61; white boilers, 4.50; whites, large, 3.84.

POTATOES—Old stock; market steady; U. S. 1, size A, Maine, Katahdins, 100-lb. sacks, 3.50@3.75, mostly 3.65; 2¼-in. minimums, 4.00; 50-lb. sacks, 1.60@1.85, mostly 1.75; Super Spuds, 2.60; Idaho Russet Burbanks, U. S. 1, 4.25@4.75, mostly 4.50, few holdovers, 4.00; North Dakota and Maine, Cobblers, 100-lb. sacks, U. S. commercial, size A, 3.00; new stock, market slightly weaker; Florida, 50-lb. sacks Bliss Triumphs, U. S. 1 and U. S. 1, size A, 2.75, few higher; 100-lb. sacks, Sebagoes, U. S. 1, size A, 5.00@5.25, mostly 5.00; U. S. 1, size B, few 3.00; Texas, 50-lb. sacks, Bliss Triumphs, U. S. 1, few 3.00.

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AT WASHINGTON'S MAJOR NEWSSTANDS

Wreco Parent Reports Sharp Net Increase

By S. Oliver Goodman

North American Co., giant utility holding company whose plan for dissolution has been filed, yesterday reported first quarter net income of $6,826,706 or 80 cents a share. This compared with net of $4,136,267 or 48 cents a share for the 1945 period.

President E. L. Shea said earnings of North American Light & Power Co. and its subsidiaries were not included in the consolidated income statement for the first quarter because of proceedings before the SEC.

North American is the parent firm of Washington Railway & Electric Co., owning 79.7 per cent of Wreco's common stock.

Of special interest to Washington investors was Mr. Shea's statement about the probable value of divestment units which would be issued in the event the SEC approves North American's dissolution plan.

Mr. Shea said that estimates received from reliable statistical firms place the value of each divestment unit applicable to each share of North American at $20.50 to $21.50. This would give the warrants a value of around $15 each.

Assuming that earnings of the companies concerned continued at about 1945 levels, he said, stockholders exercising warrants immediately would have an advantage over those holding them for a six months period, since they would receive in that period direct dividend payments on stocks of the unit of 41 or 42 cents.

Business Briefs Of D. C. Interest

Wins National CPA Honor

Eugene H. Stossel, Washington certified public accountant, will be awarded a silver medal by the American Institute of Accountants. He is to be honored for securing the second highest mark among 2138 candidates in CPA examinations held last November in 33 States, Alaska, Hawaii and the District of Columbia.

Mr. Stossel

Mr. Stossel, who took his examination before the Board of Accountancy for the District of Columbia, is a member of the staff of James A. Councilor & Co., 1101 Tower Building. He lives at 1433 Euclid st. nw. and studied at the Benjamin Franklin University School of Accountancy.

Pepco Net Off in Month

Potomac Electric Power Co. yesterday reported March net income of $322,790, against $325,162 in the same 1945 month. Operating revenues of $2,041,265 were 7.5 per cent higher, but operating expenses of $1,095,110 showed a 19 per cent increase over March, 1945.

For the first three months this year, Pepco's net income was $1,187,358 as compared with $1,044,249 in the like period last year.

Southern Railway Shows Deficit

A net deficit of $473,899 for March was reported yesterday by Southern Railway Co., compared with net income of $1,984,351 in March, 1945. Gross operating revenues for the month were $19,507,336, against $23,879,621 last year. Net operating income dropped to $444,529, compared with $2,979,996 in March, 1945.

The statement attributed the sharp drop in March net to the charging of all awards of increased wages for the first three months to March operating expenses.

For the first three months this year Southern's net income totaled $2,841,294, as compared with $5,506,967 in the same 1945 period.

Nineteenth Birthday for PCA

Today is the nineteenth birthday of Pennsylvania-Central Airlines, second oldest airline in the country and only major airline to maintain general offices in Washington.

It was April 26, 1927, when a tiny single-engine PCA plane took off with a single pouch of mail on a 127-mile run from Pittsburgh to Cleveland. This was the birth of PCA.

Today the airline has a fleet of nearly 50 Capitaliners, including 59-passenger, four-mile-a-minute sky giants which fly over a network of nearly 4000 miles to 50 cities.

In 1927 there were seven employes. Today PCA has 3664 employes, of whom 1900 work at the National Airport and live in the Washington area.

Dividend Action

New York, April 25 (AP)—Dividends declared:

	Rate.	Period.	Stk. of record.	Payable.
Increased				
Bourne Mills	75c	Q	4-23	5-1
Can Brew Ltd	31¼c		5-31	7-1
Colorado Cen Pow	45c	Q	5-17	6-1
Dominion Strs Ltd	25c		5-18	6-15
Intl Bronze Powders	25c	Q	6-15	7-15
Extra				
Drackett (new)	2½c	..	5-4	5-15
Fairbanks Morse	5c	..	5-11	6-1
Stock				
Wilson Prod	20%	..	4-15	4-25
Initial				
Drackett (new)	6½c	..	5-4	5-15
Inland Steel (new)	40c	..	5-14	6-1
Lincoln Print	25c	..	5-3	5-15
Interim				
Falconbridge N Mines	5c	..	5-29	6-26
Regular				
Amer Inv Ill	15c	Q	5-15	6-26
Armstrong Cork	25c	..	5-6	6-1
Barber, W H	25c	Q	5-4	6-1
Charis Corp	15c	Q	5-2	5-15
Dela & Hudson	$1.00	Q	5-28	6-20
Fairbanks Morse	25c	..	5-15	5-29
Falstaff Brew	25c	..	5-15	5-29
Freeport Sulphur	62½c	Q	5-14	6-1
Goodall-Sanford	37½c	..	5-20	6-1
Ingersoll-Rand	$1.50	Qz	6-5	6-1
Intl Silver	$1.50	..	5-15	6-1
Lone Star Gas	20c	Q	5-17	6-10
Newport N Shp & DD	50c	..	5-15	6-1
N J Zinc	$1.00	Q	5-20	6-10
Otis Elevator	20c	..	5-22	6-20
Rheem Mfg	25c	Q	5-23	6-15
Savage Arms	12½c	..	5-6	5-16
Sherwin Williams	75c	Q	4-30	5-15
Standard Brands	40c	..	5-15	6-15
Stewart-Warner	25c	S	5-4	6-1
Tampa Elec	40c	Q	5-1	5-15
Vulcan Detinning	$1.50	..	6-10	6-20
Warner Bros Pict	50c	Q	6-7	7-3
Worth Pump & M.	37½c	..	6-1	6-20

Quotations on N. Y. Stock Exchange

By the Associated Press

Total stock sales yesterday, 1,390,000 shares; previous day, 1,500,000; week ago, 1495600; year ago 1366740; two years ago, 520,080; January 1 to date 138,896,187; year ago, 123,573,055; two years ago, 75,594,934.

Dow-Jones Stocks

New York, April 25.—

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	
30 ind.	204.88	205.60	203.09	204.60	—1.53
20 rails	63.66	63.94	63.17	63.49	—0.30
15 utils.	42.67	43.06	42.44	42.85	—0.01
65 stocks	76.14	76.50	75.55	76.08	—0.44

Transactions in stocks used in averages today: Industrials, 91,400; rails, 72,650; utilities, 72,800; 65 stocks, 236,850.

	Sales Add 00	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
Abbott Lab	8	73½	70⅞	73¼	—1¼
ACF-Brill Mtr	9	15⅝	15⅜	15½	— ⅛
Acme Stl	5	42⅞	42⅜	42¾	— ⅛
Adams Exp	6	22⅞	22½	22½	— ⅛
Adams-Millis	1	56	56	56	....
Addressog-Mult	5	34	33	33¼	+1⅛
Admiral Corp	8	15⅝	15	15⅝	+ ¼
Air Reduction	8	56½	55	55¼	—1¼
Aldens Inc	12	40¾	40¼	40⅜	— ½
Alaska Juneau	13	8⅞	8⅝	8⅞	+ ⅛
Allegheny Cp	53	6¾	6⅝	6⅝	....
Allegheny pf	13	60⅜	58½	60⅜	+1⅜
Alleg pr pf	2	73	73	73	....
Alleg Lud Stl	10	46	44¾	46	+ ¾
Allen Indust	5	22½	22¼	22¼	— ¼
Al Chem & Dye	11	200	198	198	—2
Allied Kid	21	28¼	26⅞	28¼	+1¼
Allied Mills	8	34¼	33¾	34	....
Allied Strs	19	58½	57	58½	— ½
Allied St pf	1	103	103	103	—1¼
Allis-Ch Mfg	20	55¾	55	55	—1¼
Alpha P Cem	2	39⅝	39⅝	39⅝	+ ⅝
Amal Leather	190	12¼	11½	12	+ ⅜
Amal Lea pf	4	75	71½	75	+3
Amerada Pet	2	164½	164	164½	—3
Am Ag Ch Del	6	45	44¼	44¾	— ¾
Am Airlines n	407	19⅝	19⅛	19½	+ ¼
Am Bank Note	1	41	41	41	— ¼
Am Bosch	4	23¾	23½	23¾	+ ¼
Am Brake Sh	7	62½	61	61¾	—2
Am Cab & R	13	14½	14¼	14⅜	....
Am Can	8	96½	95½	96	—1
Am Car & Fdy	3	66½	66¼	66½	—1¼
Am Ch & Cab	9	38	37½	37⅞	— ⅝
Am Colortype	2	33	32½	32½	—1
Am Crystal Sug	2	27	27	27	— ¾
A Cry S pr pf	1	105	104½	105	....
Am Distill	7	67½	65½	67	....
Am Encaus Til	5	9¼	9⅛	9⅛	— ⅛
Am Export L	3	53	52½	53	+ ½
Am & For P	38	10½	10⅛	10⅛	— ⅛
A & F P $6 pf	9	114½	112¾	114½	+1
A & F P $7 pf	6	122½	120	122½	—1½
Am & F P 2 pf	11	38⅞	37½	38⅞	+ ⅛
Am-Hawaii SS	8	50⅜	49¾	50⅛	+ ⅛
Am Hide & L	48	11⅛	10⅞	11	+ ⅛
Am Home Prod	3	129¼	128¼	129¼	— ¼
Am Ice	4	15¾	15¾	15¾	— ⅛
Am Internat	1	14¾	14¾	14¾	— ¼
Am Invest Ill	2	13¾	13¾	13¾	— ⅛
Am Locomot	18	35¾	35½	35⅞	....
Am M & Fdy	18	39	38	38½	— ½
Am M & Met	14	19½	18¾	19½	+ ½
Am Metal	3	38	37	38	+ ½
Am News Co	1	54	54	54	—1
Am Pow & Lt	134	18¼	17	18	+ ⅝
Am P&L $6 pf	3	125¼	124¼	125¼	— ¼
Am P&L $5 pf	8	115½	115	115½	— ½
Am Rad & St S	70	20⅝	20	20¼	— ¼
Am Roll Mill	31	31¼	30¼	31¼	+ ¼
Am Safety Raz	3	57½	56½	57	—1½
Am Seating	9	31⅞	31½	31⅞	+ ⅜
Am Smelt & R	6	68½	67¾	68½	+ ⅝
Am Snuff	1	44⅞	44⅞	44⅞	+ ⅜
Am Stl Fdrs	14	43⅝	43	43	—1¼
Am Stores	4	36⅜	36⅛	36⅜	....
Am Stove	2	33⅛	33	33⅛	— ⅛
Am Sugar Ref	1	53	53	53	—1
Am Sumat Tob	1	65¾	65¾	65¾	—1⅜
Am Tel & Tel	30	194⅛	192½	193¾	— ¼
Am Tobacco	3	94¾	94	94¾	+ ¼
Am Tob B	18	96	94½	96	+ ¾
Am Type Fdrs	10	26½	26	26⅛	— ⅜
Am Viscose	3	70½	70¼	70⅜	—1⅜
Am Wat Wks	40	25⅞	25¼	25½	— ⅜
Am Woolen	46	53¾	50½	53⅜	+1⅝
Am Wool pf	1	147¼	147¼	147¼	—3¾
Am Zinc L&S	14	12⅝	12¼	12⅝	....
Anaconda Cop	22	46⅞	46¼	46⅞	+ ¼
Anchor Hock Gl	1	55	55	55	....
Anderson Clayt	2	53½	53½	53½	—1½
A P W Prod	2	9⅜	9¼	9⅜	+ ⅛
Arch-Dan-M	7	33	32½	33	+ ½
Armour & Co	118	15⅜	14¾	15⅜	+ ⅜
Armstrong Cork	9	62½	61¾	61⅞	— ⅞
Arnold Const	1	31½	31½	31½	....
Artloom Corp	9	27	26½	26⅞	— ⅛
Assd Dry Goods	18	68	65¾	68	+ ¼
Assd D Gd 2 pf	1	142	140	142	+2
Atch T & S F	13	106	105	105⅛	— ¼
Atl Coast Line	9	71½	71	71	— ½
Atl G&W Indies	1	41¼	41¼	41¼	—1¼
Atl Refining	31	46	44½	46	+1
Atlas Corp	18	32⅛	31½	31½	— ¾
Atlas Tack	1	31¾	31¾	31¾	— ⅛
Aust Nichols	5	16¾	15¾	16¾	+ ¾
Autocar Co	1	32½	32½	32½	— ¼
Aviation Corp	108	11	10⅝	11	....
Aviation Corppf	1	64	64	64	....
Bald Loco	6	31⅛	30¾	31⅛	+ ⅝
Balt & Ohio	116	22⅞	21½	22⅛	— ⅛
Balt & Ohio pf	13	37	35¼	36	—1
Barber Asph	7	38¼	37¾	38	— ⅛
Barker Bros	1	66	66	66	....
Barnsdall Oil	29	30	28⅞	29⅞	+ ½
Bath Ir Wks	6	28½	28¼	28¼	— ⅛
Bayuk Cigars	5	56	55¼	55¼	—1¼
Beatrice Cream	3	63	63	63	—1½
Beech Airc	74	30⅞	29¾	30⅛	+ ¼
Belding-Hem	2	22⅞	22⅞	22⅞	— ⅛
Bell Airc	10	30⅜	29¾	30	....
Bell & Howell	2	34	33¾	34	....
Bendix Aviat	16	50	49	49	—1⅛
Benef Ind Ln	5	33¾	33½	33¾	+ ¼
Best & Co	9	48¼	47¼	47¼	—1¼
Best Foods	1	28	28	28	— ½
Beth Steel	17	104	102½	103⅛	—1⅞
Beth Steel pf	2	164	163	163	—1¼
Black & Decker	4	39⅛	39⅛	39⅛	— ¼
Blaw-Knox	14	26⅝	26	26⅜	— ⅜
Bliss & Laugh	1	31½	31½	31½	—1
Boeing Airplane	37	30⅞	29	29⅞	— ⅞
Bohn Al & Br	1	63	63	63	— ¾
Bon Ami B	1	61⅛	61	61	—2
Bond Strs	3	45¾	45¾	45¾	— ⅛
Borden Co	1	55	55	55	— ¼
Borg-Warner	7	52⅝	51½	52⅝	+ ¼
Bower Roll Bear	2	55¾	55¼	55⅜	— ⅜
Braniff Airw	8	26½	26	26	— ⅞
Bridgeport Br	16	17¼	16¾	17⅛	— ¼
Briggs Mfg	5	50	49	49⅞	+ ⅜
Briggs & Strat	3	66½	65⅞	66½	....
Bristol-Myers	3	63¼	63	63¼	+ ¼
Bklyn Un Gas	8	37⅜	37	37⅜	+ ⅝
Brown Shoe	2	38⅜	37¾	37¾	— ⅝
Bruns-Balke	9	37¾	36¾	37	— ¾
Bucyrus-Erie	10	22¾	22⅛	22⅝	— ⅛
Budd Mfg	31	20⅞	20¼	20⅝	+ ¼
Budd Wheel	20	21½	21	21⅜	— ¼
Buffalo Forge	6	37⅛	37½	37⅛	— ⅞
Buf Niag El pf	3	104½	104½	104½	—1½
Bullard Co	5	43½	42¾	43½	— ¼
Bulova Watch	3	44¼	44	44	— ¼
Burling Mills	20	43¼	42½	42¾	— ¼
Burr Add Mach	32	18⅞	18¼	18½	— ¼
Bush Term	2	15¼	15¼	15¼	— ¼
Butler Bros	5	30	29¾	30	....
Butte Cop & Z	9	7⅝	7½	7⅝	+ ⅛
Byers (AM)	14	28¾	27¾	28¼	+ ¾
Byron Jackson	3	35	35	35	— ⅛
Calif Packing	2	46⅛	46	46	— ⅛
Callahan Z-Ld	43	5¾	5⅛	5⅛	....
Calumet & Hec	22	10⅛	10	10⅛	+ ⅛
Campbell Wyant	1	38	37½	38	+ ¼
Can Dry G Ale	3	44⅛	43⅝	44⅛	+ ⅛
Canad Pacific	86	19½	18⅞	19⅜	+ ⅛
Cannon Mills	4	71½	70½	70½	— ½
Capital Adm A	7	19¾	19⅛	19⅜	....
Carrier Corp	14	28¼	28	28¼	....
Carrier Corp pf	2	57½	56½	56½	—2¼
Carriers & Gen	6	9⅝	9½	9⅝	+ ⅛
Case (J I) Co	8	46¼	45	46	— ⅛
Caterpil Tract	8	75¾	75	75¾	+ ¾
Celanese Corp	7	74¼	73	73	—1
Celanese 1st pf	1	105⅛	105⅛	105⅛	— ⅞
Celotex Corp	12	29½	28⅞	29	— ½
Cent Aguirre	6	26¼	26	26	— ⅞
Cent Foundry	33	16½	15⅞	16½	+ ¾
Cen Hud G&E	7	12¼	12¼	12¼	....
Cent R R N J	1	16½	16½	16½	....
Cerro de Pas	6	47⅞	47	47⅞	....
Certain-td Prod	49	21⅜	20⅞	21⅜	— ⅛
Chain Belt	2	37	36½	36¼	—1¾
Champ Pap & F	3	60	59¼	60	....
Checker Cab	2	27⅜	27⅜	27⅜	— ⅛
Ches Corp Va	1	24½	24½	24½	....
Ches & Ohio	24	59⅝	58⅝	59	....
Chi & E Ill	4	13	12½	13	....
Chi & E Ill A	5	21½	21⅛	21½	— ⅛
Chi Grt West	1	12¼	12¼	12¼	+ ½
Chi Grt W pf	8	26	26⅛	26	— ½
Ch M SP&Pac	41	26½	25⅞	26	— ⅛
Ch M SP&P pf	29	65½	64½	64⅞	— ⅝
Chi & NW	17	37	36⅜	37	....
Chi & NW pf	16	67¾	66¾	67	— ½
Chi Pneu Tool	7	31¾	31⅜	31¾	— ¼
Chick Cot Oil	2	21¼	20¾	21¼	+ ¼
Childs Co	20	10⅛	9¾	10	— ⅛
Chrysler Corp	13	130	129½	129½	— ½
CIT Finan	12	56	55¼	55¼	— ¾
Cin Mill Mch	6	36	35⅜	35⅜	— ¾
City Ice & Fuel	7	35½	35	35	—1
City Stores	3	31½	31¼	31½	— ½
Clev Graph Br	8	71½	70⅞	70⅞	—1⅛
Climax Molyb	35	34¾	33¾	34½	— ⅛
Cluett Peabody	5	57⅛	57	57⅛	+ ⅛
Coca-Cola A	2	65¼	65	65	— ¼
Colgate-Palm-P	5	53¾	52¾	52¾	—1
Collins & Aik	2	52	52	52	—1½
Col Fuel & Ir	11	17⅜	16¾	17⅜	+ ⅜
Col F&Ir pf	7	20⅝	20⅜	20½	— ⅝
Col & Sou 1 pf	1	28	28	28	— ½
Colum Brdcst A	1	42¼	42¼	42¼	— ¼
Colum G&El	89	12	11⅝	11⅞	....
Col G&E 6% pf	1	109¾	109¾	109¾	— ½
Colum Pict	5	32½	31¾	31¾	—1⅝
Colum Carbon	6	46	45	46	+ ¼
Coml Credit	7	55⅛	54½	54½	— ½
Coml Solvents	62	24⅝	23⅝	24⅝	+1⅜
Comwl Edis	56	35⅜	34⅝	35	+ ½
Comwl & Sou	679	4⅛	4	4	....
Com & Sou pf	24	125	124	125	+ ½
Conde Nast	8	72	69½	72	—1
Congoleum-N	1	36¼	36¼	36¼	— ¾
Consol Cigar	3	52	51¾	51¾	— ¾
Cons Copperm	19	8⅞	8⅝	8⅞	+ ⅛
Cons Edison	29	35¼	34⅞	35⅜	....
Cons Edison pf	3	109¼	108¾	108¾	— ½
Cons Laundries	3	21½	20¾	21½	+ ¼
Cons Nat Gas	2	50½	50¼	50½	— ¼
Con RR Cuba pf	8	38⅞	38	38⅞	+ ⅛
Cons Vultee	50	26½	25¾	26¼	— ¼
Container Corp	5	50¾	50¼	50¾	+ ½
Cont Bak	19	17	16¾	17	....
Cont Bak pf	1	107⅞	107⅞	107⅞	+ ⅛
Cont Can	17	47	46½	46¾	+ ⅛
Cont Diam Fib	8	15¼	15⅛	15¼	....
Cont Ins	4	58½	57½	57½	—1¼
Cont Motors	41	18⅞	18⅜	18⅞	+ ⅛
Cont Oil Del	13	44¾	43½	44¾	....
Cont Steel	2	21¼	21	21¼	....
Cooper-Bess	2	27¼	26¾	27¼	— ¾
Copperweld Stl	2	19⅝	19⅜	19⅝	— ⅛
Corn Prod	14	63	62⅜	62¾	— ¾
Cornell-Dub El	3	23¾	23	23¾	+ ¾
Corning Glass	6	35¾	35½	35½	— ¼
Coty Inc	7	14⅞	14½	14½	— ⅛
Coty Inter	13	6½	6⅜	6½	....
Crane Co	14	45¼	44	45½	+ ⅜
Crane Co pf	1	107¼	107¼	107¼	— ⅛
Cream of Wh	8	33⅝	32¾	32¾	— ⅜
Crown C & S	3	52	51¾	51¾	— ¼
Crown Ck pf	1	53½	53½	53½	— ½
Crown Zellerb	17	36⅜	35½	36	—1⅜
Crucible Steel	3	47	46¾	46¾	— ¾
Cuban-Am Sug	6	25½	25⅜	25⅜	— ⅛
Cudahy Pack	29	53¾	51¼	53¼	+1¼
Cuneo Press	2	48¼	48¼	48¼	— ¾
Curtis Pub	209	23	21¼	23	+1⅜
Curtis P pr pf	1	76½	76½	76½	— ⅛
Curtiss-Wright	63	7⅝	7	7⅛	— ⅛
Curtiss-Wr A	25	21½	21⅛	21¼	— ¼
Cutler-Hammer	4	42½	42	42½	— ½
Davison Chem	7	25⅞	25	25	—1
Dayton Rub	3	30½	30¼	30½	—1
Decca Records	7	67¼	67	67	— ¼
Deere & Co	22	50½	49½	50⅜	+ ⅛
Deisel-Wem-Gil	1	39¼	39¼	39¼	— ¼
Del & Hudson	10	45	43½	44½	— ⅞
Del Lack &W	28	12⅝	12¼	12⅜	— ⅛
Detroit Edison	4	27⅞	27⅞	27⅞	— ⅛
Devoe & R A	5	37⅜	36⅜	36⅜	—1⅛
Diamond Match	3	46	45	45½	—1½
Diam Mat pf	2	48½	48	48	....
Diam T Motor	1	28	28	28	—1
Dist Corp-Sg	10	90¼	89	90¼	+ ¼
Dixie Cup	3	51	51	51	— ⅛
Dixie Cup A	3	56¼	55¼	56¼	— ¼
Dr Pepper	3	41	41	41	— ⅜
Doehler-Jarvis	9	30¼	29⅞	29½	— ⅝
Dome Mines	16	24⅝	24⅜	24⅝	— ⅛
Douglas Aircr	6	88	87⅜	88	—2¼
Dow Chem	2	182½	182	182	—2½
Dresser Ind	20	26	25⅝	26	— ½
Dresser Ind pf	5	112	111½	111½	— ⅛
Dunhill Int	1	32	32	32	+ ½
duPont de N	6	206½	204¼	206	—2¼
duPont pf	1	127	127	127	+ ½
Eagle-Pich	16	24½	23⅞	24⅜	—1⅜
Eastern A L	7	128⅞	128	128⅞	—1
Eastman Kodak	3	259	257	258	—3
Eaton Mfg	16	64	63¼	64	+ ⅜
Edis Bros Strs	1	39⅝	39⅝	39⅝	+ ⅛
Ekco Prod	6	44½	43	44	—1¼
Elastic S Nut	4	11⅝	11⅜	11⅝	+ ⅛
El Auto-Lite	7	79	78	78	—1½
Elec Boat	13	30⅛	29⅝	29⅝	— ⅝
El & Mus Ind	7	6¼	6	6¼	+ ⅛
El Pow & Lt	64	28	26⅞	27½	+ ½
El P &L $7 pf	2	166	164¼	164¼	—3¾
El Storage Bat	2	53⅝	53	53⅝	+ ½
El Paso Nat Gas	1	57½	57½	57½	+ ½
Emerson El M	21	22½	21¾	22½	+ ⅛
Emer Rad & Ph	4	31¼	30	31¼	+ ¾
Eng Pub Service	23	39⅛	39	39	— ⅛
Equit Off Idg	20	4	3⅞	3⅞	— ⅛
Erie R R	41	16⅜	16⅛	16⅜	— ⅛
Erie R R pf A	1	77¼	77¼	77¼	— ⅛
Eureka Wms	5	17½	17¼	17¼	— ⅛
Evans Products	3	30⅛	29½	30⅛	+ ½
Eversharp	16	54⅜	53½	54⅜	+ ⅜
Ex-Cell-O	4	54	53⅝	53¾	— ½
Exchange Buffet	1	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	....
Fairbanks Morse	1	72	70½	70½	—2½
Fajardo Sugar	3	28½	28⅛	28⅜	— ⅛
Farns Tel & R	10	15½	14⅞	15	— ⅛
Fed Mng & Sm	18	43⅝	42	43⅝	+ ⅝
Fed Mogul	2	33	33	33	—1
Fed Mot Truck	1	17⅝	17½	17½	— ½
Federat D Strs	5	20¾	20⅜	20⅝	— ⅛
Ferro Enam	8	29¼	28⅝	29¼	+ ¼
Fid P F Ins	2	62	61½	61½	—1½
Firestone T & R	9	78	76¼	77	—2
First Nat Strs	7	64½	64½	64½	— ½
Flintkote	19	43⅝	42⅞	43⅝	+ ⅝
Flintkote pf	3	113⅞	113⅞	113⅞	+ ¼
Florence Stove	3	55⅝	55	55	—2
Florida Pow	3	68⅞	68⅜	68⅞	—1½
Florsheim Sh A	1	53⅜	53⅜	53⅜	— ¾
Follansbee Stl	3	16⅝	16⅜	16⅜	....
Follansbee Stlpf	9	26½	25⅝	26⅛	....
Food Fair Strs	6	63	60⅞	63	+1⅜
Food Machin	3	97	96½	96½	—1
Foster Wheeler	3	42½	41⅜	41⅝	—1
Fost Wh 6% pf	4	37⅛	36⅝	37⅛	....
Francisco Sugar	3	29⅞	29¼	29⅞	....
Frnk Simon pf	65	46½	46	46	....
Freeport Sulph	2	57⅞	57½	57⅞	+ ¼
Fruehauf Tra	17	43	42	43	+ ¾
Gabriel Co	5	12⅞	12⅝	12¾	+ ¼
Gair Robert	52	9⅝	9½	9⅝	....
Gamewell Co	2	24⅝	24	24⅝	+ ½
Gardner-Denv	3	24⅞	24¾	24⅞	— ⅛
Gar Wood Ind	49	13⅞	13⅜	13⅞	+ ⅛
Gar Wood pf	2	56½	56⅜	56⅜	—1⅛
Gaylord Cont	1	57	57	57	— ¾
Gen Am Invest	12	8⅝	8⅜	8⅝	— ⅛
Gen Am Trans	2	68⅞	68⅛	68⅞	—1½
Gen Baking	19	12⅞	12⅝	12⅝	— ⅛
Gen Bronze	8	26½	25⅞	26½	+ ½
Gen Cable	5	13⅞	13½	13½	— ¼
Gen Cable A	2	47¼	46¾	46½	— ½
Gen Cable pf	1	152½	151	151	—1¼
Gen Cigar	20	39⅛	38⅞	39⅛	....
Gen Elec	17	61⅞	60½	61⅛	— ¾
Gen Foods	15	53⅝	52⅝	52⅞	—1⅛
Gen Mills	9	47	46½	46½	— ½
Gen Motors	62	74	73½	73¾	— ¼
Gen Motors pf	1	128½	129½	129½	— ½
Gen Out Advt	12	27¾	27	27¾	+1½
Gen Prec Eq	2	37	36½	37	— ⅛
Gen Pub Serv	4	5⅝	5½	5½	— ⅛
Gen Pub Util	77	22	21⅝	21¾	— ¼
Gen Ry Signal	1	43	43	43	—1
Gen Ry Sig pf	176	10⅜	10¼	10⅜	....
Gen Real & Util	9	8¾	8⅜	8¾	— ¼
Gen Refract	2	32½	32¼	32½	— ¼
Gen Shoe	3	39⅞	39¼	39⅝	— ⅜
Gen Stl Castpf	8	38	37	38	— ¼
Gen Tel	10	43⅜	42⅞	43¼	+ ¼
Gen Time Inst	4	45½	45	45	—1
Gen Time In pf	10	58⅜	58⅛	58½	....
Gen T & Rub	6	47¼	46¼	46¼	—1
Gillette Saf R	19	39⅜	38⅝	39⅜	— ⅛
Gimbel Bros	14	61½	60½	61½	— ⅛
Gimbel Bros pf	1	103½	103½	103½	+ ⅛
Glidden Co	9	47	46½	46½	—1
Goebel Brew	6	6⅝	6⅝	6½	— ⅛
Goodall-Sanf	5	41½	41¼	41¼	—1¼
Goodrich (B F)	5	81	80½	81	+ ½
Goodyr T & R	14	73½	72½	73¼	— ½
Goodyr T&R pf	1	111⅛	111⅛	111⅛	—1⅜
Graham-Pag M	5	38	38	38	....
Gandby Con M	3	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	....
Granite City Stl	4	21	20¼	21	+ ¼
Grant (W T)	8	38	37	38	+ ½
Gt Nor Ir Or ct	2	18⅝	18½	18½	— ¼
Gt Northn R pf	10	58⅜	58⅛	58½	— ½
Gt West Sug	8	31	30½	30½	— ⅝
Green (H L)	2	90½	90½	90½	—1
Greyhound Corp	35	40⅛	39¾	40⅛	+ ⅛
Greyhound pf	1	110	110	110	....
Grum Airc En	22	43⅞	42½	43½	+ ¼
Guantan Sugar	5	11¼	10⅞	11	....
Guantan Sug pf	1	96¼	96¼	96¼	—1¾
Gulf Mob & Oh	13	23	22¾	23	— ¼
Gulf M&Oh pf	3	66	66	66	....
Gulf Oil	38	74⅜	73¾	74¼	+ ⅞
Hall (WF) Pt	7	36	34½	36	+1
Hamil Watch	3	23	23	23	....
Harb-Walk	8	28	27	28	+ ½
Hart Sch & M	4	52	51¼	52	+1
Hat Corp Am A	4	15	14⅞	15	+ ⅛
Hayes Indust	57	18¾	17⅞	18⅜	+ ⅝
Hayes Mfg	78	13⅛	12⅝	13⅛	+ ⅛
Hecht Co	2	40	40	40	....
Helme (GW)	1	82½	82½	82½	....
Hercules Motors	2	33¼	32½	32½	—1¾
Hercules Powd	1	68	68	68	....
Hershey Choc	4	93	92⅜	92¾	+1½
Hewitt Rub	1	36½	36½	36½	— ½
Hinde & D Pap	1	38¾	38¾	38¾	— ¼
Hollander & S	5	30	29½	30	....
Holly Sugar	2	29½	29	29	— ½
Homestake Min	6	49⅜	48¾	48¾	— ⅝
Houd-Hershey	5	23½	23⅜	23½	— ⅛
Houd-Hersh pf	1	61	61	61	....
Household Fin	6	31¾	31¾	31¾	+ ¼
Houston L & P	3	93	92	92	—2½
Houston Oil	14	27⅛	27	27⅛	— ⅛
Howe Sound	3	48¼	47½	47½	— ½
Hudson & Man	21	8¼	8	8⅛	— ⅛
Hud Bay M & S	9	42¼	41¾	42	....
Hudson Motor	20	29½	28¼	29¼	+ ¼
Hupp Motor	13	8½	8¼	8⅜	+ ⅛
Idaho Power	1	43	43	43	+ ½
Illinois Central	15	35¼	34½	34¾	+ ¼
Ill Central pf	2	71	70½	70½	—1½
Ill Term RR	1	13⅛	12⅞	13	+ ⅛
Indpls Pw & Lt	12	30⅛	30¾	30⅜	....
Indpls P&L rts	155	⅛	....	....	....
Ind El de Mex	11	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞	+ ⅛
Indust Rayon	6	47	46⅝	46⅝	— ½
Inger-Rand	3	142	141⅝	142	—1
Inland Steel	5	123	122	122	—1
Inspirat C Cop	25	19½	19¼	19¼	— ¼
Interchem Corp	6	52½	52¼	52¼	—1¼
Intercon Rubber	3	10⅛	10¼	10⅜	....
Interlake Iron	29	16¼	15⅞	16⅛	+ ⅛
Int Bus Machine	1	225½	225½	225½	....
Int Harvester	14	94⅞	93⅝	94⅛	— ⅜
Int Hyd-Elec A	67	14⅛	14	14⅛	....
Int Min & Chy	4	33	33	33	....
Int Min&Ch pf	1	97	97	97	....
Int Mining	4	8⅞	8⅝	8⅞	....
Int Nick Can	53	38½	37⅞	38	— ⅛
Int Paper	40	50⅞	48⅝	50⅞	+ ¼
Int Pap pf	3	125	123	125	—2¼
Int Ry Cen Am	6	22½	22⅛	22⅛	— ¼
Int Salt	1	62	62	62	+1
Int Shoe	4	47¾	47	47¾	+ ¾
Int Silver	1	220	220	220	—6
Int Tel & Tel	51	25⅝	24¾	25	— ⅛
Int T&T for ct	3	25⅛	25	25⅛	— ⅛
Interst Dept St	5	44½	44¼	44¼	—1½
Intertype Corp	1	27½	27½	27½	—1½
Island Crk Coal	1	47	47	47	— ¼
Jacobs (F L)	13	18¾	18⅜	18⅜	— ⅜
Jewel Tea	1	52½	52¼	52½	— ½
Johnson & John	6	60⅛	60	60⅛	—1⅜
Jones & L Stl	62	43⅛	42	42¾	— ¼
Jones&L St pf B	6	127	126	127	—7½
Joy Mfg	4	32½	32¼	32¼	— ⅛
Kalam Stove&F	2	34¼	34¼	34¼	— ½
Kan City South	15	25⅛	25	25⅛	— ⅛
Kan City Sou pf	5	56	56	56	—2
Kaufmann Dept	2	44¾	44¾	44¾	+1¾
Kayser (J)	9	22½	21⅞	22	— ⅛
Kelsey-HayWh A	3	30	29¾	29¾	—1
Kelsey-HayWh B	5	22¾	22½	22½	— ½
Kennecott Cop	26	58½	57¾	58¼	....
Keystone S&W	11	50	46	50	+5
Kiney (GR) Co	6	22½	22	22¼	+1
Koppers Co	13	42⅛	41½	41½	— ⅝
Kresge (SS)	17	42¾	42	42¾	+ ¾
KresgeDeptStore	1	24½	24½	24½	+ ½
Kress (SH)	7	58	56¾	58	+1
Kroger Co	4	57⅛	56½	56½	—1
Laclede Gas	36	7⅝	7½	7½	....
Lamber Co	2	59⅝	59½	59½	— ½
Lane Bryant	10	58	54½	56	—3
Lehigh C & N	28	15⅞	15⅜	15⅜	....
Lehigh Port C	5	49⅜	48¾	48¾	—1
Lehigh Val Sosl	31	4⅞	4¾	4⅞	— ⅛
Lehigh V C 1pf	6	36	35¾	36	— ½
Lehigh V C 2pf	6	13	13	13	— ⅛
Leh Val RR	19	12¾	12¼	12¾	+ ¼
Lehman Corp	8	59⅜	58¼	58⅜	—1⅜
Lehn & Fink	1	28	28	28	....
Lerner Stores	4	39½	38⅞	39½	+ ¼
Lib-O-F Glass	5	68¼	68	68	—1
Libby McN & L	55	13½	13¼	13¼	— ¼
Life Savers	1	35¾	35¾	35¾	— ¼
Liggett & My B	9	97¼	96	97¼	+ ½
LimaLocomotive	4	70½	70	70¼	— ¼
Link-Belt	3	61½	60½	60½	—1¾
Lion Oil	11	32½	31½	32	— ½
Liquid Carbonic	14	36¼	35¾	36	—1
Lockheed Airc	54	34½	33⅞	34½	....
Loew's Inc	32	39⅝	38¼	39⅜	....
Lone Star Cem	7	81½	80½	81½	+ ¼
Long-Bell Lbr A	10	30¾	29⅞	30¾	— ¼
Lorillard (P)	37	29½	28¾	29½	+1½
Louisv G&E A	3	29	28⅝	28⅝	—1⅜
Louisv & Nash	18	66½	65½	66½	— ¼
Lukens Stl	19	21⅜	20⅜	21⅛	— ⅜
MacAnd & Forb	5	42⅞	41⅞	41⅞	— ⅞
Mack Trucks	7	72½	72¼	72¼	— ¾
Macy (RH)	5	54⅝	53½	54⅝	— ⅛
Macy pf	1	110	110	110	—1¼
Mad Sq Gar	6	62	61	61	—1¼
Magma Copper	6	26¾	26¼	26¾	— ¾
Manati Sugar	7	14½	14½	14½	....
Mandel Bros	1	23	23	23	....
Maracaibo O Epl	5	6	6	6	— ⅛
MaracaiboOilrtwi	7	½	⅜	⅜	— ⅛
Marine Midland	18	9⅞	9¾	9⅞	— ⅛
Marshall Field	31	54⅝	53⅝	54	....
Martin (GL)	15	39¼	38⅝	39	....
Martin-Parry	6	24	23½	24	....
Martin-Parry	6	24	23½	24	....
Masonite Corp	5	72½	72	72½	— ¼
Master Elec	1	39¼	39¼	39¼	— ¾
Mathieson Alk	2	34	34	34	....
May Dept St	3	65½	65½	65½	—1½
Maytag Co	3	14	13⅞	13⅞	— ¼
Maytag pf	2	52¾	52¾	52¾	— ¾
McCall Corp	5	69¼	67½	69¼	+ ¾
McCrory Strs	2	38⅞	38⅜	38⅜	— ⅜
McCrory St pf	1	111⅝	111⅝	111⅝	+ ¾
McGraw Elec	1	39⅛	39	39⅛	—1¼
McGraw Hill	13	46½	45½	46½	— ½
McIntyre Porc	2	63⅝	62⅞	63⅜	+ ⅝
McKess & Rob	4	52	51¼	51¼	— ¾
McLellan Strs	6	32	32	32	— ⅜
McQuay-Norris	2	29⅛	28¾	29⅛	— ¼
Mead Corp	22	28⅛	26⅞	28⅛	— ⅛
Melville Shoe	1	48⅛	48⅛	48⅛	+ ⅛
Mengel Co	38	33⅛	31⅞	33	....
Merch & M Tr	1	47	47	47	—2
Mesta Mach	4	59⅝	59	59⅛	+ ¼
Miami Copper	18	16⅜	15⅞	16¼	+ ¼
Mid-Cont Pet	9	40½	39⅝	40½	+ ½
Midl Stl Prod	1	55¼	55¼	55¼	—1¼
Minn-Hon Reg	2	67½	67½	67½	— ¾
Minn-Moline	12	15⅛	14⅞	15⅛	+ ⅛
Minn & StL Ry	1	78	78	78	—3½
MStP&SSM A	18	19⅜	18¾	18⅞	+ ⅛
Minn Mng & M	9	42¾	42¼	42¾	+ ½
Mission Corp	14	40	40	40¾	....
Mo-Kan-Tex	23	13	12⅞	13	— ⅛
Mo-Kan-T pf	18	42	41	41	— ⅛
Mojud Hos	2	45¾	45½	45½	— ¼
Monarch M T	2	44⅛	43¼	44⅛	— ¼
Monsanto Chem	3	163	163	163	—1¾
Montgom Ward	33	91	89	91	— ⅛
Moore-McC Lin	5	26½	25½	26½	+ ⅛
Morrell & Co	2	50	49⅜	49⅜	—2½
Motor Prod	3	30	29¼	29¼	— ¾
Motor Wheel	2	31½	31	31	— ¼
Mullins Mfg	1	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Munsingwr new	7	27	26½	27	....
Murphy (G C)	4	45	44	[illegible]	[illegible]
Murray Corp	17	17¾	17⅝	17¾	....
Murray Corp pf	2	52½	52½	52½	— ¼
Nash-Kelvin	32	21⅞	21⅛	21⅞	+ ⅛
Nat Acme	1	36	36	36	— ⅛
Nat Airlines	7	26¼	25¾	26	— ¾
Nat Auto Fib	21	20	19½	19¾	— ¼
Nat Aviation	6	24⅞	24⅛	24⅞	+ ⅛
Nat Battery	2	32	32	32	—1¼
Nat Biscuit	8	35⅞	35⅜	35⅞	+ ⅛
Nat Can	8	18⅜	18¼	18⅜	— ⅛
Nat Cash Reg	5	40⅞	40	40⅞	+ ⅜
Nat Container	4	33⅜	33	33⅛	— ¼
Nat Cylind G	7	20⅞	20¾	20⅞	— ⅛
Nat Dairy Pd	20	44⅛	42¾	43⅛	— ⅛
Nat Dept Strs	54	54⅛	50⅝	53⅝	+3½
Nat Distillers	86	72¼	69⅛	70⅞	+1½
Nat Enam & St	2	56½	56½	56½	—1⅛
Nat Gypsum	14	29⅞	29	29⅞	— ⅛
Nat Lead	16	38	37⅝	37¾	— ½
Nat Linen Svc	1	29⅛	29	29	....
Nat M & S Cas	13	33	31	32	—1½
Nat Oil Prod	4	61⅞	61	61⅞	—1½
Nat P & L	70	10⅞	10⅜	10¾	+ ¼
Natl Steel	4	87⅛	86⅝	87⅛	+ ⅛
Nat Sug Ref	3	38	37⅝	38	+ ⅜
Nat Supply	113	24½	23	24⅜	+ ⅜
Nat Sup $2 pf	5	28⅜	28⅛	28⅜	+ ¼
Nat Tea	5	37⅛	37	37	— ½
Nat Vul Fib	5	19⅝	19¼	19⅝	— ⅛
Natomas Co	4	12⅝	12⅜	12⅝	— ⅛
Nehi Corp	4	28⅝	28½	28⅝	— ⅛
Neisner Bros	2	72	72	72	+2
Newberry J J	2	37	37	37	....
Newmont Min	6	48	47½	48	— ⅛
Newport Ind	2	36⅞	36½	36⅞	— ¼
Newpt N Ship	10	29¼	28⅝	28⅝	— ⅝
N Y Air Br	1	59	59	59	— ¼
N Y Centr RR	175	27	26¼	26⅝	— ⅜
N Y C & S L pf	5	125	125	125	—2
N Y C Omnib	7	31¼	30⅝	31¼	+ ½
N Y Shipbldg	11	24¼	23⅞	24	+ ¼
Noblitt-Sparks	1	48	48	48	....
No Am Aviat	17	13⅞	13¼	13⅝	— ⅛
Nor Amer Co	66	35⅜	34⅝	35⅛	....
Nor Pacific	47	29⅝	29¼	29⅛	— ¼
Northwest Airl	2	49	48½	49	....
Norwalk T & R	1	17	17	17	— ⅛
Norwich Phar	11	22	21½	21⅝	+ ⅛
Ohio Oil	42	26	25⅛	25⅞	+ ¼
Oliver Corp	16	32	31½	32	+ ¾
Omnibus Co	9	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞	+ ⅛
Oppenheim Col	5	46	45	45	—1½
Otis Elevat	7	37⅞	37	37⅞	+ ½
Owens-Ill Glass	2	94⅜	94⅛	94⅜	+ ⅜
Pac Am Fish	8	16⅛	16	16⅛	— ⅛
Pac Gas&Elec	15	45⅞	45	45⅝	+ ⅛
Pac Lighting	2	62½	62	62	— ⅛
Pac Mills	3	47¼	47	47¼	— ¼
Pac Tin Cons	16	8⅝	8½	8⅝	....
Pac West Oil	1	32½	32½	32½	— ⅛
Packard Motor	168	9⅝	9½	9½	....
Pan Am Airw	85	21⅛	20⅝	21	....
Panhand EPL	12	54⅞	53	54⅞	+1⅜
Panhandle P&R	62	12½	11⅞	12⅛	+ ⅛
Paraffine Cos	2	90⅛	90⅛	90⅛	— ⅛
Param Pict	37	79½	78⅞	78⅞	—1⅛
Park & Tilford	10	74½	73¼	74½	— ⅛
Park Ut Con M	65	6⅝	6½	6⅝	....
Parke Davis	6	44⅝	43⅞	44⅜	+ ⅛
Parker Rust-Pr	5	30⅝	30½	30⅝	— ⅛
Parmelee Trans	7	17	16⅞	17	— ⅛
Patino Mines	13	20½	20¼	20½	....
Jenney (J C)	19	54⅛	52⅝	53⅜	—1¼
Penn-Cent Airl	37	37⅝	37	37⅝	+ ⅛
Penn-Dix Cem	7	27⅛	27	27⅛	— ⅛
Penn Pw & Lt	14	27	26⅜	27	+ ⅛
Penn RR	51	42⅞	42⅛	42¼	— ¼
Penn Salt	3	46	46	46	....
Peoples Drug	4	55	55	55	— ⅛
Peoples G L&C	1	112¾	112¾	112¾	— ¼
Pepsi-Cola	70	33⅞	33	33⅝	+ ⅝
Pere Marquette	1	27	27	27	+ ¼
Pere Marq pf	2	101	101	101	—1
Pet Milk	1	42½	42½	42½	— ½
Petrol Corp	11	12½	12⅛	12½	+ ⅛
Pfeiffer Brew	13	14⅛	13⅝	14⅛	+1
Pfizer Chas& Co	1	55	54¼	54¼	—1¼
Phelps Dodge	41	43½	42½	43¼	— ¾
Phila Elec	32	30¼	29⅞	30¼	+ ⅛
Phila El $1 pref	4	30¼	29⅞	30¼	+ ¼
Phil & Rdg C&I	17	16⅛	15⅞	16⅛	+ ⅛
Philco Corp	19	34⅝	34½	34⅝	+ ⅛
Philip Morris	142	51	48¼	50⅛	+2¼
Phillips-Jones	2	32½	32½	32½	....
Phillips Pet	21	68⅛	66⅛	66⅞	—2
Pillsbury Mills	2	33¼	33	33¼	+ ¼
Pitt Coke & Ch	17	12⅞	12½	12⅞	+ ½
Pitt Con Coal	12	22⅞	22⅛	22⅞	+ ⅜
Pitt Forgings	1	25⅜	25⅜	25⅜	— ⅛
Pitt Plate Gl	17	42⅜	42	42⅜	— ⅛
Pitt Scr & Bolt	18	11⅝	11⅛	11⅝	+ ¼
Pitt Steel	4	16⅝	16½	16½	— ⅛
Pittston Co	8	25⅛	24⅝	25⅛	+ ⅜
Plymouth Oil	8	25	25	25	— ⅛
Poor & Co B	2	22½	22¼	22½	+ ¾
Pressed Stl Car	24	24¾	23⅝	24⅛	+ ¾
Press Stl C pf	2	59⅛	59⅛	59⅛	+ ¼
Procter & Gam	2	67½	67⅜	67⅜	— ⅛
Pub Svc Colo	5	37	36⅝	36⅝	— ¾
Pub Svc N J	35	28⅝	28⅛	28⅜	— ⅛
Pullman	10	64⅞	64½	64⅞	+ ⅛
Pure Oil	58	27⅛	26⅝	27	— ⅛
Purity Bak	4	36⅛	35⅞	35⅞	— ⅛
Quaker Sta Oil	1	22	22	22	....
Radio Corp	117	16⅛	16	16⅛	— ⅛
Radio pf	3	91	90½	90½	— ½
Radio-Keith-O	133	27¼	26⅞	27⅛	— ⅛
Rayonier Inc	5	26⅜	26⅝	26⅞	....
Rayonier Inc pf	2	37½	37¼	37½	+ ¼
Reading Co	3	26½	26½	26½	— ¼
Reading 2 pf	1	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛	— ⅛
Real Silk Hos	1	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝	+ ⅛
Reliable Stores	1	42½	42½	42½	+ ½
Reliance Mfg	11	25	25	25	— ⅛
Reming Rand	10	39⅛	39	39⅛	— ⅛
Reo Motors	12	30	29½	29½	— ½
Repub Avia	35	20⅞	20⅜	20¾	— ⅞
Repub Pict	31	16½	16	16	— ¼
Repub Pict pf	31	16½	16¼	16¼	....
Repub Pict pf	1	19	19	19	— ⅛
Repub Steel	51	33⅛	32⅛	32⅞	— ¼
Rep Steel pf A	2	116¼	115½	115½	—2½
Rev Cop & Br	36	26⅛	25⅞	26⅛	+ ⅛
Reynolds Metals	6	38⅜	38⅛	38⅜	+ ¼
Reynolds Spring	4	22½	22⅛	22⅜	+ ⅛
Reynolds Tob B	23	44⅛	43⅞	44	+ ⅛
Reynolds Tob pf	1	105¼	105¼	105¼	....
Rheem Mfg	1	25½	25½	25½	— ⅛
Richfield Oil	18	17⅛	17	17⅛	....
Ritter Co	1	34½	34½	34½	....
Roan Ant Cop	19	10⅞	10⅝	10⅝	— ⅛
Royal Type	1	26⅞	26⅞	26⅞	— ⅛
Ruberoid	4	52	52	52	—1½
Ruppert (J)	2	28¼	28	28	— ⅛
Safeway Stores	10	30⅞	30¼	30⅞	....
St Joseph Lead	5	60⅛	59¼	60⅛	+ ½
Savage Arms	28	15⅛	14⅞	15⅛	+ ⅛
Schenley Distil	31	79	77	79	+ ⅝
Scott Paper	3	55	55	55	+ ⅜
Seab AL R R	6	33¼	32¾	33¼	+ ¼
Seaboard Oil	7	37⅜	37	37½	+ ⅜
Seagrave Corp	2	12⅝	12½	12⅝	....
Sears Roebuck	86	46⅛	45⅜	45⅞	+ ¼
Seeger-Sunbeam	3	20	20	20	....
Servel Inc	13	20⅞	20⅝	20⅞	+ ⅛
Shamrock O&G	3	29¾	28⅝	29¾	+ ⅝
Sharon Stl	19	37⅛	36½	37⅛	+ ⅛
Sharp & Dohme	4	30½	30½	30½	....
Shattuck F G	3	29½	29½	29½	+ ¼
Shell Union Oil	7	39⅛	38⅝	39⅛	....
Silver K Coalit	29	13⅝	12⅞	13⅝	+ ½
Simmons Co	3	51	50	50	—1⅛
Simonds S&Stl	5	46½	46⅛	46⅛	— ⅛
Sinclair Oil	53	19¼	18⅞	19⅛	+1
Skelly Oil	4	76	75	75	—2
Sloss-Shef Stl	4	53½	52	53	— ½
Sloss-Sh Stl pf	4	23	22	22	—1
Smith AO Corp	3	76	75	76	....
Socony-Vacuum	81	17¼	16¾	16⅞	— ¼
Sou Am G&P	11	7	6⅞	7	....
So P Rico Sug	4	54½	54	54½	+ ½
Soeast Greyh L	10	50¾	49¼	50	+ ¾
Sou Cal Edison	6	36½	36¼	36⅜	+ ⅛
Sou Nat Gas	6	38⅞	38¼	38⅞	+ ⅛
Southern Pac	55	58¼	57¾	57⅞	+ ⅛
Southern Ry	18	53⅛	52¾	53	....
Southern Ry pf	3	81¾	81	81½	— ½
Spalding & Bro	15	28⅛	28	28⅛	....
Sparks Withing	15	11⅞	11⅞	11⅞	....
Sperry Corp	17	33	32	32¾	....
Spiegel Inc	48	36¾	33⅞	36⅛	+2½
Square D Co	10	73¾	72	73⅞	+1¾
Squibb & Sons	5	45	45	45	....
Std G&E 04 pf	30	49⅛	46	49⅛	+1¼
Std G&E $6prpf	3	131	131	131	....
Std G&E $7prpf	4	145	145	145	....
Stand Oil Cal	43	56⅛	55⅝	55⅞	— ⅛
Stand Oil Ind	33	42	41½	41⅞	— ⅛
Stand Oil N J	35	76½	75¾	75¾	— ⅝
Stand Oil Ohio	10	28⅜	28	28¼	....
Std Stl Sprs	25	19⅞	19¼	19⅞	+ ⅝
Sterling Drug	15	57⅞	56½	57⅜	+ ⅜
Sterl Drug pf	1	107¼	107	107	—1
Stewart-Warn	12	21⅛	21	21	— ¼
Stokely-V Camp	3	22	21⅞	22	— ⅛
Stone & Web	19	29¼	28¾	29¼	+ ½
Studebaker Corp	32	30	29⅝	30	....
Sun Chem	5	19⅞	19½	19⅜	— ⅛
Sun Oil	1	74	74	74	— ¼
Sunray Oil	84	10½	10¼	10½	+ ⅛
Sunshine Bisc	7	48	47½	48	+ ¼
Sunshine Mng	56	23⅛	20⅞	22	+ ⅜
Superheater	7	32	31⅝	32	+ ¼
Sup Oil Cal	2	136	135½	136	+ ½
Superior Steel	2	43	43	43	— ½
Sutherland Pap	3	51	50	50	—2½
Sweets Co Am	1	50	50	50	+2½
Swift & Co	15	38	37⅝	37⅞	— ⅛
Swift Intl	5	34	33⅞	33⅞	— ⅛
Sylvan El Prod	8	38¾	38½	38¾	+ ¼
Syming-Gould	9	13½	13⅜	13⅜	....
Talcott (J) Inc	3	17⅝	17½	17½	....
Telautograph	2	11⅜	11⅜	11⅜	— ⅛
Tenn Corp	10	21¾	21⅜	21⅝	— ⅛
Texas Co	17	63½	61⅞	63	+ ⅜
Tex Gulf Prod	15	12⅝	12⅛	12½	+ ⅛
Texas Gulf Sul	6	54	52½	52½	—2½
Tex Pac C&O	9	27⅝	27	27⅝	+ ⅛
Tex Pac L Tr	42	20⅜	19⅝	20	+ ⅛
Tex & Pac Ry	6	48¼	48	48¼	+ ¼
Thatcher Mfg	1	41	41	41	— ⅛
The Fair	4	27¾	27⅜	27⅝	+ ⅛
Thermoid Co	9	15⅛	14⅞	15	— ⅛
Thermoid Co pf	1	61¼	61	61¼	— ⅛
Third Ave Tran	9	13½	13⅛	13½	+ ⅛
Thompson (JR)	2	18¾	18½	18⅝	....
Thompson Pr	7	63	60	62	—1¼
Thompson-Star	8	9⅞	9½	9⅝	+ ¼
Thompson-St pf	1	50	50	50	—2
Tide W A Oil	22	23¼	22¾	23¼	+ ⅛
Timken-D Axle	11	52	51¼	52	—1
Timken R Bear	6	60⅝	60½	60½	....
Transamerica	21	19¼	19¼	19¼	....
Trans & W Air	9	54½	54	54	— ⅛
Tri-Cont Corp	28	11¼	11	11¼	— ¼
Truax-Traer C	2	18¼	18	18¼	— ⅛
Twent C-Fox	40	60⅞	60¼	60⅛	— ⅛
Twent C-Fox pf	14	75¼	75	75	....
Tw C-Fox pr pf	1	103	103	103	—2¾
Twin Cit Rap T	52	23⅝	22½	23⅝	+1½
Twin Coach	6	22	22	22	— ¼
Underwood	5	72	72	72	— ¾
Un Asb & Rub	3	21⅝	21¼	21¼	— ¾
Union Bag & P	24	33¾	33⅛	33⅝	+ ⅜
Union Carbide	13	120	119¼	119½	—2½
Union Oil Cal	17	28	27⅞	28	+ ¼
Union Pacific	5	159	157	157½	—3
Union Tank Car	3	40	39¾	39¾	— ¼
Unit Air Lines	10	42	42	42	— ¼
United Aircraft	17	30	29½	30	— ¼
United Biscuit	8	47¾	46¾	47¾	— ¼
Unit-Carr Fast	2	38½	37⅞	38½	+1½
Un Cig-Wh Ctrs	26	15⅜	14¾	15⅛	+ ⅛
UnCig-Wh pr pf	1	26½	26½	26½	....
United Corp	142	5½	5⅜	5⅜	....
United Corp pf	7	52¾	52½	52¾	— ½
United Drug	21	38¼	37¾	37¾	— ¼
United Dyewood	2	14¾	14⅜	14⅜	+ ⅛
United Elec Coal	2	18½	18½	18½	+ ⅛
United Eng&Fdy	5	51½	51	51	....
United Fruit	1	146	146	146	—1⅜
United Gas Imp	11	28⅜	28⅛	28⅜	+ ¼
United M&M	7	60	58½	59½	+ ½
United Paperbd	62	14⅛	14	14⅛	....
US & For Sec	31	29¼	28½	29	....
US Freight	6	22½	21⅝	22	....
U S Gypsum	3	123	123	123	—1
USHoffmanMach	10	45⅝	44	45⅝	— ¼
US Indus Chem	5	53	52¼	53	—1
U S Leather	9	11¼	10⅞	11	— ⅛
U S Leather A	4	39½	39	39½	+1¼
U S Lines	20	18⅛	17½	18⅛	+ ¼
U S Lines pf	1	11¼	11¼	11¼	— ⅛
U S Plywood	10	60	57½	57¾	—1
U S Real&Imp	10	5⅞	5⅝	5¾	— ⅛
U S Rubber	16	77½	76½	77⅝	— ⅛
US Rubber 1 pf	3	181¾	179	179	—4
US Smelt R&M	3	72	71¼	72	— ¼
U S Steel	119	82½	80½	82½	+ ⅛
U S Steel pf	8	158⅜	158¼	158⅜	+ ⅛
U S Tobacco	2	27¼	27¼	27¼	— ¼
United Stockyds	2	7⅛	7	7	— ⅛
Unit Strs 2 pf	12	18⅛	17⅝	17⅝	— ⅛
United Stores pf	1	118	118	118	....
Univ-Cyclops Stl	2	22¼	22	22¼	....
Univ Lab	18	21	20⅝	21	....
Univ Pict	1	46⅝	46	46⅝	+ ⅜
Van Norman	3	23	23	23	+ ½
Van Raalte	2	57½	57¼	57½	+ ¼
Vanadium Corp	14	31	30	31	+ ½
Vertient-Cam Sug	4	22	21¾	22	+ ⅜
Vick Chem	3	44½	43¾	44½	....
Vic Chem Wks	2	47	47	47	— ⅛
Va-Caro Chem	8	10	9¾	10	....
Virginian Ry	3	50¼	50⅛	50¼	+ ⅜
Virginian Ry pf	2	40¼	40	40¼	— ¼
Visking CorpA	6	46½	46	46	....
Wabash R R pf	1	72½	72½	72½	—1½
Waldorf Sys	1	20¼	20¼	20¼	+ ½
Walgreen Co	5	49¼	49	49¼	— ½
Walker(H)G&W	4	112¾	112½	112¾	....
Walworth Co	30	18⅜	18	18¼	— ⅛
Ward Baking	9	13⅞	13⅜	13⅝	— ½
Warner Bros Pict	187	54¾	53⅞	53⅞	— ⅜
Warren Pet	22	27⅞	27⅛	27⅞	+1¼
Wash Gas Lt	2	33¾	33¼	33¼	— ⅛
Waukesha Mot	3	30	29⅜	29⅝	— ⅛
Wayne Pump	7	42¾	42½	42½	....
Webster Tob	7	15¼	14¾	15¼	+ ¼
West Ind Sug	21	42¼	41⅞	42	+ ¼
W VaPulp&Pap	9	48	47½	48	+ ¼
Western Air L	2	27	26½	26½	—1¾
West Auto Sup	7	71	71	71	— ¾
West Maryland	16	9⅝	9⅝	9¾	....
West Maryl 2 pf	1	24⅝	24⅝	24⅝	—2¼
West Pac	6	52	51⅝	52	....
West Pac pf	2	101	101	101	....
West Un Tel A	54	35⅝	34½	35¼	— ¾
West Air Br	19	37	36¼	36¾	....
Westing Elec	70	33½	33	33⅝	— ⅛
Weston El Inst	3	41½	41	41	—1
Westvaco Chlor	3	37¾	37⅜	37¾	— ½
Wheeling Steel	3	50	49½	50	— ½
White Motor	5	39¼	38⅞	39	— ½
White Sew M	3	15	14¾	15	....
Wilcox Oil	6	11⅞	10⅞	11⅞	+ ⅛
Willys-Overld	25	23¼	22½	23¼	+ ¼
Wilson & Co	21	17½	17¼	17⅜	+ ⅛
Wilson & Co pf	1	99¾	99¾	99¾	+ ¼
Woolwor (FW)	20	60⅛	59¾	60⅛	— ⅛
Worthing P&M	4	62½	61⅛	62½	—1
Wor P&Mprpf	3	100	100	100	+1½
Wrigley (W) Jr	2	77	76¾	77	+1
Wyand Wor	9	41½	40½	41¼	— ¼
Yale & Towne	3	53½	52⅞	53½	....
York Corp	6	23	22⅞	23	....
Young Spg&W	9	29⅞	29¼	29⅞	— ½
Youngst Sh&T	18	70¼	69	70¼	+ ⅛
Youngst Stl Dr	12	26½	26¼	26¼	— ½
Zenith Radio	3	35⅝	35½	35½	— ⅛
Zonite Products	29	13⅞	13⅜	13⅞	+ ⅜

Late Support Pares Losses In Stock List

New York, April 25 (AP).—Stocks generally continued to stumble in today's market although exceptions were plentiful and late support cut early losses running to four or more points.

Individual situations again were helpful but bearish sentiment was preponderant. Selling was blamed partly on a batch of poor first-quarter earnings statements, waning of inflation psychology as Federal Reserve banks acted to remove the special wartime discount rate on borrowings for the purchase of Government securities, together with further apprehension over the coal strike and threats of a railway walkout. March income summaries tended to cloud the carriers.

WHAT STOCKS DID	Thur.	Wed.
Advances	263	236
Declines	592	603
Unchanged	150	170
Total issues	1005	1009

Dealings were liveliest in the forenoon liquidation, tapering after midday when quotations began to stiffen. Closing recessions running to three points or so were in the majority. Transfers totaled 1,390,000 shares compared with 1,500,000 Wednesday. The Associated Press 60-stock composite was off .6 of a point at 78.8, its fourth successive downturn.

ABC Network Plans Public Stock Offering

New York, April 25 (AP).—The American Broadcasting Co. announced its intention today to offer a "substantial amount" of its authorized but unissued shares for sale to the public and to owners of affiliated radio stations. No holding of present stockholders will be included in the offering, the announcement said.

Edward J. Noble, chairman of the board, said proceeds would be used "to expand present broadcasting facilities to provide additional working capital to advance the company's plans for participating in the development of frequency modulation broadcasting and of television."

Bethlehem Steel dropped 1⅞ at $103.12 and, after the final gong, directors voted the usual $1.50 dividend despite a first-quarter dip in net to $1.06 a share, against $2.03 in the like 1945 period, due mainly to the strike.

Chicago Grain

Chicago, April 25 (AP).—Late strength developed in oats today following announcement by the Agriculture Department that corn purchased under the bonus payment plan will either be exported or supplied to domestic processors. May rye, after fluctuating widely in a "thin" market, closed lower.

Grain men said the Agriculture Department's announcement indicated that none of the corn the Government buys will be used for feed. In such a circumstance the already large feeding demand for oats might be expected to increase, they said. The Government hopes to purchase 50,000,000 bushels of corn.

At the close wheat, corn, barley and deferred rye contracts were unchanged at ceilings. A little trading developed in July and December wheat, the first in some time. Oats were unchanged to ⅝ higher, July 83, and May rye was 1½-3 cents lower at $2.61½@$2.61.

Range follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
July	1.83½	1.83½	1.83½	1.83½
September	1.83½	1.83½	1.83½	1.83½
December	1.83½	1.83½	1.83½	1.83½
May, 1947	1.81½	1.81½	1.81½	1.81½
Corn—				
May	1.21½	1.21½	1.21½	1.21½
July	1.21½	1.21½	1.21½	1.21½
September	1.21½	1.21½	1.21½	1.21½
Oats—				
May	83	83	83	83
July	83	83	82¾	83
September	80⅞	81½	80⅝	81½
December	80⅝	81¾	80⅝	81½
Rye—				
May	2.60½	2.65¼	2.59	2.61
July	1.48½	1.48½	1.48½	1.48½
December	1.48½	1.48½	1.48½	1.48½
Barley—				
May	1.26	1.26½	1.26½	1.26½
July	1.26½	1.26½	1.26½	1.26½
September	1.26½	1.26½	1.26½	1.26½
December	1.26½	1.26½	1.26½	1.26½

Cash Grain

Chicago, April 25 (AP).—WHEAT—No. 2 red and hard, 1.82 nominal, ceiling.

CORN—No. 2 yellow, 1.189 nominal, ceiling.

FIELD SEED (hundredweight), nominal; red clover, 31.50; sweet clover, 10.75; alsike, 28.50; alfalfa, common, 33.50@36.50; timothy, 5.75@6.00; red top, 12.00@12.50.

D. C. Securities

The Washington Stock Exchange list is published in full on Tuesday. Thereafter quotations are published when there are sales or changes in the bid and asked prices. Quotations follow:

After Call

Garfinckel com., 35 at 61, 25 at 61.

	Bid.	Asked.
Public Utility Bonds		
Am T & T con db. 3s, 1956	152	.....
Public Utility Stocks		
Amer Tel & Tel (9)	193	.....
Capital Transit (2.00)	39	40
Potomac Elec Pwr 6% pf (6)	113	.....
*Wash. Gas Lt com (1.50)	33½	34½
*Wash G Lt cum con pf (4.25)	109	.....
Wash Gas Lt cum pf (4.50)	110	.....
National Bank Stocks		
Capital (.80)	30½	.....
Riggs (12)	372	380
Trust Company Stocks		
Amer Sec & Tr Co (10)	322	335
†Union Trust Co (3.00)	155	165
*Wash Loan & Tr (e) (8)	345	.....
Miscellaneous Stocks		
†Garfinckel com (1.60)	59	62
*Hecht com (1.20)	39	41
Lanston Mono (new) (1.00)	19	.....
Mergenthaler Lino (e) (1.00)	75	78
Ter Ref & Wh Corp (3)	58	.....

*Ex dividend. †Plus extras. (a) Paid so far this year. (e) 2 per cent extra.

New York Cotton

New York, April 26 (AP).—Cotton futures moved through a quiet session, as traders found little in the day's news, with early losses of 70 cents a bale partially erased following announcement that the cotton export subsidy will be continued through June next year. Final prices were 20 cents a bale higher to 35 lower.

The Bureau of Census report on final ginnings of the 1945 crop indicated production approximated 9,000,000 bales. This was in line with trade expectations. The 1945 production was the lowest since the 1921 crop of 7,978,000 bales. Indications that present plantings were 15 cents larger than last season pointed to some recovery next year.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Last.	
May	27.82	27.92	27.70	†27.85	+4
July	27.96	28.00	27.81	27.92	—3
October	27.99	28.07	27.86	27.94	—6
December	27.97	28.07	27.85	27.94	—6
March	28.03	28.09	27.92	28.00	—7
May	27.97	28.07	27.90	*27.97	—7

Middling spot, *28.46, —3.

*Nominal. †Bid.

New York Bond Prices

By the Associated Press

Total bond sales yesterday, $5,880,000; previous day, $5,960,000; week ago, $4,541400; year ago $11938,500; two years ago, $7,553,800; January 1 to date, $518,515,100; year ago $944,736,650; two years ago, $1,131,543,400.

Dow-Jones Bonds

New York, April 25.—

40 bonds	108.24	—0.21
10 higher grade rails	117.11	—0.33
10 second grade rails	101.32	—0.23
10 public utilities	109.24	—0.02
10 industrials	105.29	—0.05

Sales in thousands	High	Low	Close
5 Am & F P 5 2030	108⅜	108⅛	108⅜
12 Am T&T 2¾ '75	105⅛	104⅜	105
23 Am T&T 3 '56	152½	151⅝	151⅝
78 Am T&T 2¾ '80	105⅜	105	105
25 A T & S F 4 '95	136	136	136
13 A C L 1st 4 '52	111	110⅝	111
14 B & O 1st m '48	102½	101⅜	102
32 B & O '95 A	91½	90⅞	91½
58 B & O '95 C	96⅜	95	96⅜
44 B & O 2000 D	91	89½	91
26 B & O '96 F	90	89½	90
131 B & O cv '60	78	75	78
11 B & O 4 '48	103	103	103
14 Beth Stl 2¾ '70	103⅝	103	103
19 Bost Me 4 '60	100⅞	100	100⅞
6 Buf R&P '57 st	90	90	90
96 Cen G 5 '59 C	28	27	28
12 Cen G cn 5 '45	80½	79	79
17 Cen Pac 5 '60	105½	105¼	105¼
11 Cen P 1st 4 '49	107⅞	107½	107½
32 C R R N J 5 '87	47⅞	47	47⅞
121 Chi & A 3 '49	59¼	58¼	59¼
8 C B & Q 3½ '85	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
10 C G W 4 '88	96⅝	96	96⅝
6 CMSP&Pinc4½ 2019	98⅝	98	98⅛
152 CMSP&P cv4½ 2044	82¼	80⅛	81
7 C M S P&P 4 '94	105⅜	105⅛	105⅜
24 C & N W 4½ '99	92½	91⅜	92½
49 C R I P 4½ '52 A	66⅝	65⅝	66⅝
138 C R I P 4½ '60	35⅝	33⅝	35½
17 C R I P 4 '88	89⅛	88	88
228 C R I P 4 '34	63⅛	61¾	62⅝
6 Childs 5 '57	61	61	61
27 C C C S L 4½ '77	94	92⅝	93⅝
25 Cl U T 4½ '77	105¼	105	105¼
23 Del & H 4 '63	103⅜	103¼	103½
5 Del P L 3 '73	110⅝	110⅛	110⅝
62 D & R G 4 '36	62¼	61¼	62¼
66 D R G W 5 '55 a	26⅛	23¾	26⅛
5 Det Ed 3 '70	108	107¾	108
33 Erie 4½ '15	95½	95	95
7 Gdrich 2¾ '65	102⅞	102⅞	102⅞
5 G M & O 4 '75	106⅞	106⅞	106⅞
11 Hud C 5 '62 A	85	84⅛	85
18 H & M r 5 '57	73⅝	73	73
251 H & M inc 5 '57	37	36	36⅛
24 I C 4¾ '66	94	93	93
62 I C C S L 5 '63 A	101	99⅛	100
36 I C C S L 4½ '63	98¼	97⅝	97½
9 Int G N 6 '52	46½	45½	46
18 Int G N 1st 6 '52	86	85	85
72 Int H E 6 '44	97⅝	97⅛	97⅝
6 Int Pap 5 '47	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
13 Int T & T 4½ '52	102⅞	102⅞	102⅞
15 Int T & T 5 '55	106	105⅞	106
15 Leh V 5 2003st	65¼	64⅜	64⅞
18 Leh V 4½ 2003	57⅜	56⅞	57
67 Leh V 4 2003	54	53⅛	54
11 Lorillard 3 '63	104⅝	104⅜	104⅜
12 L & N 3⅜ 2003	111⅛	111⅛	111⅛
10 L & N 2⅝ 2003	102⅛	102	102
11 M-K-T 1st 4 '90	100⅝	99⅞	100
73 Mo P 5½ '49	41	38⅝	41
15 Mo P 5 '65A	93¼	93	93¼
109 Mo P 5 '77F	94⅛	91½	93⅜
40 Mo P 5 '78G	93⅝	92	93⅝
18 Mo P 5 '80H	93½	91⅛	93½
118 Mo P 5 '81I	93⅛	91½	93
87 Mo P g '75	54	53⅜	53⅛
8 Mor & E 3½ 2000	69½	69	69
7 Natl Stl 3 '65	104⅛	103⅝	103⅝
35 NYC r 5 2013	98½	97⅛	98½
91 NYC 4½ 2013A	92⅜	91	92⅜
8 NYC cn 4 '98	93⅛	92⅝	92⅞
10 N Y Edis 3¼ '65	103⅝	103⅜	103⅝
24 NYNHH 6 '48	69	68⅞	69
39 N Y N H H 4½ '67	67¾	67¼	67¾
17 N Y N H H 4 '56	63⅝	62½	63
36 N Y N H H 4 '57	44½	43⅞	44½
86 N Y O W r 4 '92	23⅜	22⅝	23⅜
6 N Y W B 4½ '46	44⅜	44	44⅜
17 Norf S 5 2041	63½	62	62½
6 Norf W 4 '96	141⅝	141⅝	141⅝
10 O W R R N 3 '60	105⅛	105⅛	105⅛
18 Pen Cen Airl 3½ '60	115½	114⅞	114⅞
13 Pen P & Lt 3 '75	105½	105⅛	105⅛
7 Pen P & Lt 3 '65	104⅝	104	104
3 Pen RR s 4½ '65	124	124	124
7 Pen RR s 4½ '81	125⅝	125⅜	125⅝
14 Pen RR 3½ '52	107	107	107
5 Pere M 3⅛ '80	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛
5 Phil El 2¾ '74	105	104⅛	104⅛
5 Phil Ry 4 '37	22	22	22
10 Phil Pet 2¾ '64	104⅝	104⅝	104⅝
5 Rdg 3⅛ '95	101⅝	101⅝	101⅝
38 St L S F 5 '50 B	62	60½	62
250 St L S F 4½ '78	44	41⅛	43½
58 St L S F 4 '50 A	58⅛	57	58⅛
48 Sea A L Inc 4½ wi	84	82	84
31 Sea-AF 6 '35A	20⅛	19⅛	19⅛
9 Skelly O 2¾ '65	103	103	103
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21 So Pac 4½ '81	107⅛	106½	107⅛
28 So Pac 4½ '68	106	104⅛	104⅝
68 So Pac 4½ cv '77	106⅛	105⅛	105⅛
11 Sou Ry g 6 '56	121	120½	120½
10 Sou Ry g4 '36	106	105	106
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7 Std ONJ 3 '61	102	102	102
30 T&P 3⅞ '85	104⅛	103⅝	104
56 Th Ave 5 '60	69	68	68⅛
7 Un Pac 1st 4 '47	103⅝	103¼	103⅝
3 Va Ry 3 '95	109	109	109
8 Wab 4¼ '71	95⅝	95	95
6 Ward Bak 5⅛ '70	107⅝	107½	107½
23 W Sh 4 2361	88	86⅛	86⅞
17 W Md 4 '52	107	107	107
207 West Un 5 '60	100½	98⅝	100
31 West Un 4½ '50	101⅝	100	100⅞
46 Wis Cen 4 '49	86	85½	86
11 WisC 4 SD '36	100¼	100¼	100¼

Commodity Index

New York, April 25.—The Associated Press weighted wholesale price index of 35 commodities today declined to 116.87; previous day, 116.93; week ago, 117.07; month ago, 115.85; year ago, 108.60.

	1946.	1945.	1944.	1943.
High	117.40	112.81	108.73	107.54
Low	112.02	107.90	106.03	103.43

(1926 average equals 100.)

Bethlehem Net Slumps in Period

New York, April 26 (AP).—Bethlehem Steel Corp. reported today for the March quarter net income of $4,804,438, equal to $1.06 a common share, compared with $7,695,909, or $2.03 a share in the like 1945 quarter and $11,447,858, or $3.29 a share in the final quarter of 1945.

Directors declared the usual dividend of $1.50 a share on the common stock, payable June to stock of record May 6.

Ingot production averaged 49.7 per cent in the first quarter, compared with 83.1 per cent in the preceding quarter, and 98.3 in the like quarter a year ago, Eugene G. Grace, chairman said.

In the first period of 1946 extraordinary costs were incurred as a result of strikes which were charged to income for that period. On account of such costs, 11 million dollars was transferred to income for the quarter from contingent reserves which had been set up out of income in prior years, Grace said.

Naval Stores

Savannah, Ga., April 25 (AP).—TURPENTINE—83½; offerings and sales, none; receipts, 10; shipments, 96; stocks, 1799.

ROSIN—Offerings and sales, 38; receipts, 291; shipments, none; stocks, 7136.

ROSIN—Prices unchanged.

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Smith, Barney & Co.
April 26, 1946

Health In Taos

By Agnes E. Meyer

Democratic Solution Of Medical Care

AS I DROVE into the little isolated mountain village of Penasco in Taos County, N. Mex., school had just been dismissed. There seemed to be at least three times as many children as houses. Five or more in each family is the rule. This area is the most isolated part of Taos County. There are about 1200 people near the highway but over 3000 in the surrounding territory. Knowing the appalling prewar malnutrition rate and the general poverty among these Spanish families, I was surprised to see how healthy and well dressed the children looked as they trooped past our car.

Mrs. Meyer

I walked into the big, sunny schoolroom where a beautiful Dominican nun was trying to coach a 21-year-old veteran in rudimentary grammar school lessons. The public school system of New Mexico is unique in that it permits these 100 per cent Catholic villages to engage sisters as teachers. The educational predicament of this fine-looking soldier is typical of a more or less bookless society in which over 40 per cent of the heads of families have completed less than four years of school.

I remarked to the Sister how well and happy the children looked. "Oh," she exclaimed, with a radiant smile, "they have improved unbelievably since we have the local clinic. It is the best thing that has ever come to Penasco. The mothers have learned how to feed the children with more oranges, bananas and fresh vegetables instead of always beans and more beans. It improves their schoolwork because they are more alert and learn faster. Of course, they had more money during the war and could buy more food. But if it had not been for the educational program of the doctor and the nurse at the clinic, they would still be eating beans."

NEXT I went to the local storekeeper who confirmed the marked change in the family purchases.

"What warms my heart to the clinic people," she said, "is that I don't have to send so many telegrams to absent fathers (many of these migrant workers leave their families at home) telling them their wives have died in childbirth. You should have seen the number of coffins that used to pass this store in the old days. That's all over now because every member of the cooperative health plan has to have her baby in a hospital. As the nearest one is many miles away they sometimes start so late that the baby is born in the ambulance. But you know the fourth or fifth baby comes quickly."

As we sat in the rather primitive clinic Mr. Bernard Valdez, business manager of the Health Association, explained its organization and early struggles.

"The people themselves realized that their poor health retarded their economic progress. So their community leaders appealed for aid to the Taos County Project, a branch of the University of New Mexico, and to the Farm Security Administration, which already had a small group health plan here. In 1942, with their financial assistance, a corporation was formed and three clinics were set up at strategic spots, here at Penasco, at Taos, and at Questa to the north. Three station wagons were procured for transport and as ambulances.

"We now have one full-time doctor, two Mexican externees, two part-time doctors, and a dentist. The doctors and dentist spend two days a week at each of the three clinics. There is one resident nurse at each clinic and a supervising nurse. They hold immunization and well-baby clinics, besides making rounds among the families to do educational and preventive work. We now have a thousand members, the family heads, which means we reach about 5500 people, or over one third of the population, mostly in outlying territories. Our membership is confined to farmers whose income is less than $1800 a year. Fortunately we have three hospitals in Taos County but at present we use only two, Holy Cross at Taos and the Embudo Presbyterian Hospital.

"The curative program is not more important than the constant drive to educate the people in self-government. They hold local community meetings once a month. Once a year in July they hold a convention to elect their officers and the board of directors. This is a new experience for them and gives them an ever-increasing self-confidence."

MR. VALDEZ then described the educational and preventive program.

"At first we tried to use written directions and health pamphlets, but we found that the people paid no attention to them. Now all our instructions are given personally or through visual means. We have a sound truck that goes to each clinic once a month with educational and recreational movies but we keep the programs separate. An amplifier sends music all through the village so that the people can dance and amuse themselves. It stimulates interest if they associate the health plan with a good time.

"At six weeks the mother has to bring her baby to the well-baby clinic to get instructions on diet and cleanliness. We have to keep after them to boil their bottles and to boil their water, as much of it is simply ladled out of the irrigation ditches. Sterilizing the water is of prime importance because diarrhea is the chief cause of death in the first year. As a result of the improvement in the children's health, the preventive program is now one of our great drawing cards. That proves the success of our attempts at education."

"The most important element in educational and preventive work is the daily round of the nurses. Through these intimate contacts with the families, the nurses can head off a lot of unnecessary trouble."

At that point the head nurse, Mrs. Winifred Mendez, continued my own education. She had left a position with the FSA in North Carolina 2½ years ago to come to this remote part of our country because she felt the creative importance of a county-wide rural health project.

"It is the biggest program going in our country today, this bringing of medicine to the grassroots," she exclaimed enthusiastically. "It is big in the sense of what it can mean to our whole country, whether rural or urban. For what we are doing here can be applied anywhere. It is the democratic solution of medical care and the answer to socialized, government-controlled medicine. You can't just hand people something and expect them to appreciate it. The people here are beginning to feel that they own this clinic and that they are taking a hand in their own betterment. The people are getting many things they never had before, not only curative and preventive treatment but an education in the rudiments of cooperative endeavor.

"It was hard work to break down the resistance of these neglected and suspicious villagers. There were all sorts of superstitions to overcome. At first they wouldn't go to the hospital because they thought it was a place to die. The women hated to give up the midwives, the only help they used to have in childbirth. Of course, they expect perfect results and sometimes go back to their medicine men if we don't cure them at once. But confidence is growing with experience as they see that fewer and fewer babies and mothers are dying. Although the program has only been functioning four years, we know that we have decreased the infant mortality rate enormously. There has not been time to get any reliable figures."

MY FIRST CHECK as to the general feeling about the work of the health association was made with local school teachers, with the superintendent of the Taos school system, and with the Catholic priests, who were very helpful during the early, difficult days.

My interview with Father McGuire of Taos is particularly memorable because it took place on an evening when every light in Taos had gone out. The power system had broken down. We conversed in a dark room lit only by two candles in front of a beautiful statue of the Madonna with little bowls of gay flowers surrounding the pedestal. His natural cheerfulness expanded at the mention of the health project.

"It has given the people hope and a hitherto unknown feeling of security. If the health association had done nothing but bring down the infant mortality rate and maternal deaths," he said, "it would justify its existence by that one phase of its activities."

(Tomorrow—Mrs. Meyer Goes to the clinic.)

U. S. Disenfranchises Bavarian Ex-President

Frankfurt, Germany, April 25 (AP).—The American Military Government today disenfranchised Fritz Schaeffer, once American-appointed minister president of Bavaria, after an investigation showed him to be an early Nazi sympathizer.

Schaeffer was appointed to the top civilian office in Bavaria last May, but was removed four months later in a denazification dispute that cost the late Gen. George S. Patton, jr., the command of the U. S. Third Army.

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Off the Record

By Ed Reed

"I don't know what to get mother for her birthday—she's got everything I need to borrow."

Slaughterhouse Output Cut To Overcome Black Market

Details of government plans to channel all meat through legitimate dealers, to overcome a reportedly widespread black market, were made known yesterday by OPA and the Department of Agriculture.

Slaughterers of livestock will be permitted to kill the same amount of cattle and calves during any month as they did during corresponding months in 1944 and 1945. They will be limited to 80 percent of the kill of hogs for that period.

The purpose is to direct all meat supplies through established channels. Such actions, OPA says, will reduce the operations of slaughterers who have increased their slaughtering to such an extent as to "upset normal meat distribution, and make enforcement of price ceilings difficult."

Much of the meat in black markets, the Government asserts, comes from plants now slaughtering hundreds of animals a week but which formerly slaughtered extremely limited amounts.

One order places restrictions on nonfederally inspected slaughter plants similar to those in effect a year and two years ago.

The other order restricts the amount that can be slaughtered in federally-inspected plants. OPA will enforce the order controlling nonfederally inspected plants, while the Agriculture Department will administer the latter order.

The plan was termed a "share the livestock" program by Secretary of Agriculture Anderson.

"Its purpose," he said, "is to get meat back into normal channels. An additional, compelling reason, is to get the necessary amount of meat for shipment to famine areas overseas.

Must Raze Building, But Not Evict Tenants

Santa Monica, Calif., April 25 (U.P.).—John F. Donovan, former movie actor and owner of the Casa Manana Apartments, today is pondering the wondrous ways of government.

Superior Court ordered him to tear down the 23-year-old building, which the city claims is in a single-family residence zone. The Office of Price Administration told him he couldn't evict his 24 tenants.

DO YOU HAVE PEACE OF MIND?

Life's greatest blessing—why is it denied to most of us? In May Reader's Digest Dr. Joshua Liebman astonishingly suggests, first, that you may love *yourself* too little, criticize *yourself* too harshly. Read this condensation from his inspiring new book. Learn why the obstacles to your serenity are *not* external—why they are your own thoughts, fears, and acts. Here's how you can direct them for greater peace of mind.

Also in this issue

Germany's part-time brides. 250,000 young unmarried women took part in Hitler's racial mating setup. Today they remain devoted to his cause. Sigrid Schultz warns that these good-looking Nazi mothers now wield an appalling influence over our troops—are a threat to Germany's future ...and the world.

40-page condensation from "The Snake Pit." The electrifying story of a girl who lost her mind, and of her desperate fight to regain sanity; a brilliant, terrifying account of life in a mental hospital. Mary Jane Ward's gripping book was an April Book-of-the-Month-Club selection. Don't miss this condensation.

One world—for religion too. Religion should be the great unifying force among men, says Dr. Fosdick. Instead, it has bitterly divided us. Criticizing Protestants for their 250 sects, he shows how all faiths can and must cooperate now to promote greater religious unity.

Mother to 45,000. "You can't whip or scold bad behavior out of a child," claims Judge Camille Kelley. "You must find the cause and cure it." Read the story of this remarkable woman, whose love for children and keen judicial insight are working wonders in the Memphis Children's Court.

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OPA Watching Cigarette Prices to Avert Early Rise

OPA officials are watching local dealers to see that they don't "beat the gun" on the increase in price of cigarettes, OPA said yesterday.

The raise doesn't become effective for retailers until their next shipment of cigarettes from the wholesalers. Unless a retailer has a letter from a manufacturer stating that his cigarettes were purchased under the new price schedule he must charge the old price, OPA stated.

The raise of 5 cents a carton became effective yesterday for the manufacturer, but for some retailers, OPA points out, the raise may not go in force for a week or more.

Egyptian ladies in 900 B. C. carried vanity cases made from iron.

Printers Favor OPA Extension

Columbia Typographical Union No. 101 (AFL) yesterday went on record in favor of extension of OPA "without crippling amendments."

Charging elimination of price controls would "promote and encourage inflation of the worst kind," the union contended "continuation of the OPA is an absolute necessity to protect labor and its living standards."

Jesse B. Manbeck, president, reported adoption of a resolution calling upon 'members of the U. S. Senate to vote to retain OPA without any of the crippling amendments recently adopted by the House of Representatives."

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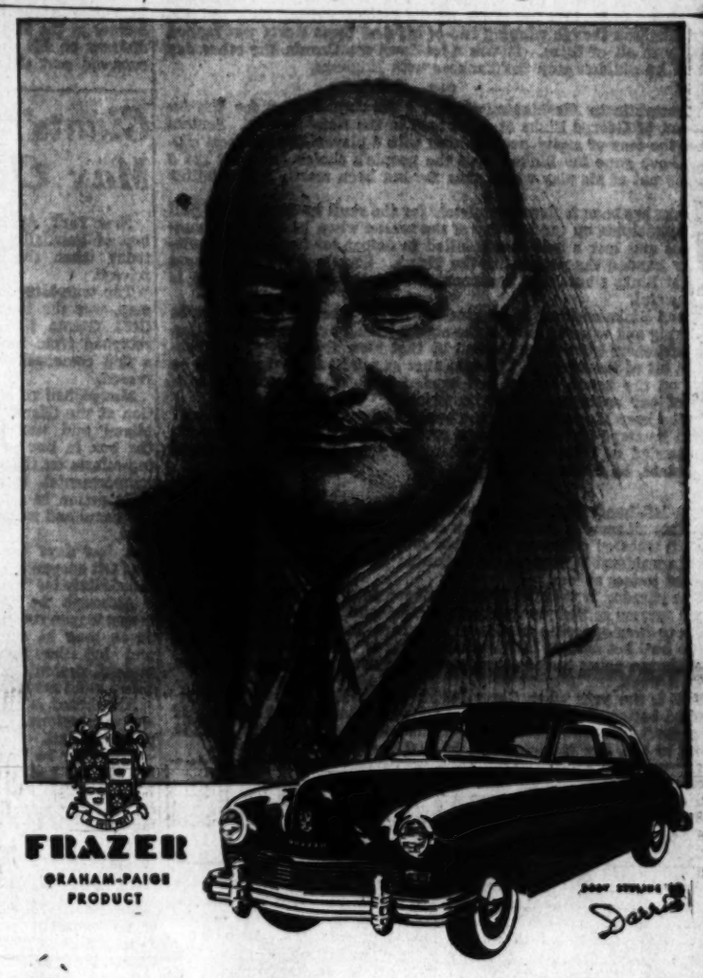

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Detroit Takes Lead as Bosox Blast Yanks

This Morning

With Shirley Povich

Certain persons who don't pretend to be fans have been watching the two big league pennant races with an eye to more than hometown interest. They are the odds-makers, and with the season less than 10 days old they have come to new conclusions about the two flag races. In other and simpler words, the prices have changed.

POVICH

Last month the odds-makers were quoting the Yankees as 3 to 2 favorites to win the American League pennant. Advices yesterday from Chicago, where the big operators operate, indicate that they still think the Yankees will win the pennant, and are even more positive in that idea. The Yanks, they announced, are now merely 6 to 5.

The Red Sox, you remember, were rated the second choice in the American League pennant race when the preseason odds were posted. The Boston club was quoted at 3 to 1. That doesn't go any more. You can now get 4 to 1 against the Boston club, and they are no longer second choice.

The team that is now rated the chief competition for the Yankees is Detroit. The Tigers were third choice at 4 to 1 in the preseason prices. Yesterday, they were 3 to 1, and second choice. The bookies seemingly have been impressed by (1) the Yankees' power, (2) Boston's lack of pitching, and (3) the Detroit pitching staff.

In the National League, the situation is somewhat historic. When the Cardinals were spread-eagling the field in the 1944 pennant race, the bookies gave them up as a bad risk to bet against and, in the parlance of the profession, took the Cardinals "off the board." That meant the bettor couldn't get a wager down on the Cardinals on any given day.

Well, right now the Cardinals are "off the board" as far as pennant bets are concerned. In other words, you can't bet they'll win the pennant no matter what odds you're willing to lay. The bookies want none of it. The Cardinals started out as 3 to 5 favorites, and a few days ago they went as low as 1 to 2, and now the operators have stopped taking bets against them altogether. That never happened before this early in a flag race.

The saddest figure in the American League must be Manager Joe Cronin, of the Red Sox. He thought, at long last, that the Red Sox had pitching, headed by Tex Hughson and Dave Ferriss. Ferriss was batted out in his first two starts by the second-division Nats and A's, and Hughson though winning two of his first three starts was rapped solidly in all of them. It was a let-down for Cronin the other day when he couldn't stop the Yankees with Hughson.

Meanwhile in Washington there's a growing clamor for the inclusion of George Binks at some spot in the Nats' line-up. Seldom have the fans of a city been smitten with a player like the local citizens have gone for Binks. He's the people's choice and they get a wallop out of his play which thus far has been mostly a pinchhitter role.

Binks has been fogiven completely for the skull he managed to pull in Philadelphia on the last day of the season when he forgot his sunglasses and lost a ball that resulted in defeat for the Nats and virtually handed the pennant to the Tigers. Somehow it's hard to get mad at Binks whose vast unconcern for the orthodoxy of baseball is wunner'ful.

When Binks appeared as a pinchhitter the other day and drove in the tying and winning runs in the eighth inning against the Athletics, the customers were more thrilled by that blow than any other Washington hit of the season. The idea that as a lefthander he should be kept on the bench against left-handed pitching does not jibe with one of our correspondents who writes:

"Why keep Bingo Binks on the bench against left-handed pitching? When he steps up to the plate he probably doesn't know whether it's left-handed or right-handed pitching he's facing and, what's more important, he doesn't care."

The left-handed pitching bugaboo apparently is going to stay with the Nats all season. In New York and Boston, Joe McCarthy and Joe Cronin wheeled out every available southpaw to throw at the Nats with considerable success, and Connie Mack had two southpaws primed to toss at 'em.

The paradox is that the Nats have been hitting southpaws with as much success as they've had against righthanders, but that fact isn't going to sway opposing managers. The idea that left-handed pitching is the best bet against left-handed hitting is still a pet theory, and the Nats are going to see southpaws on an average of at least three days a week.

This is the year when Gerry Priddy and Al Evans, the only right-handed batters in the Nats' regular line-up, should be in clover. If they don't hit .300 against all that left-handed pitching the club is going to see, the suspicion will be that they aren't .300 hitters.

Out Fishing . . .

With Jack Bell

Many States are considering a more flexible date for the opening of hunting and fishing seasons. It is contended that the season, where possible, should open on a Saturday. New York State was first to adopt such a policy, and the trout fishing season opened April 13, which fell on a Saturday rather than Monday, April 15.

West Virginia also has adopted minor changes in fishing regulations. Changes in dates were effected to bring "openin' days" on Saturday. The time element also enters into this year's opening day regulations. Tomorrow is West Virginia's opening day for trout fishing and does not begin until 6 a. m. Black bass fishing is illegal until 12:01 a. m. Saturday, June 29.

Trout stocking of West Virginia streams has been completed and in addition to an excellent carry-over of trout more than 165,000 trout have been added, according to B. D. Wills, supervisor of the Conservation Commission's hatcheries. Wills said that all of the stocked trout exceed the legal length of 6 inches for brook trout and 7 inches for browns and rainbow.

We believe the nimrod and angler is faced with the prospect of a rise in the cost of a hunting or fishing license. New Jersey's Legislature is considering raising the cost of resident hunting and fishing license from $5 to $10, and nonresident from $10 to $20. It is said that the increase is necessary to cover mounting expenses. Another piece of legislation is to limit the take of striped bass rockfish to not more than 10 fish a day, and a closed season December 1 to March 31.

Early this month a few channel bass were caught on hook and line, at Oregon Inlet, N. C. However, the big fish disappeared after a nor'easter along the "Outer Banks." Since then several fishing guides have been out trying to locate the big bronze fish, but Bill Sharpe, our scout along the "Outer Bank," wired us yesterday: "Channel bass biting Oregon Inlet. Promise good for at least a week."

Trout fishing in Virginia continues to be very good. Stream conditions are better, and with the temperature higher than normal, more than usual hatches of insects have occurred. As a result anglers are finding excellent conditions in the heavily stocked waters.

In Maryland, all streams are lower, warmer and clearer than usual at this time of year, and in excellent condition for dry fly fishing. However, rain is needed badly if we are to have good fishing next month.

Rain Postpones Piedmont Openers

Richmond, Va., April 25 (AP).—They hung the "rain—no game" sign out of all three baseball parks where the Class B Piedmont League was scheduled to open its 1946 season tonight.

If the rain stops and the diamonds dry up sufficiently, the six-team circuit will begin its annual wars Friday night, but the scent of action will shift in a couple of instances.

Here is the schedule for tomorrow night with the probable pitchers:

Newport News at Richmond—Frank Wilson vs. Jim Bivin.

Norfolk at Portsmouth—Harry Grubb vs. Woody Johnson.

Roanoke at Lynchburg—Charley Dyke vs. Eddie Haswell.

Tonight, the program called for Newport News at Richmond, Portsmouth at Norfolk and Lynchburg at Roanoke.

Bluege Confident

Nats Rely on Hudson Today To Take Yanks in Opener

Sid Hudson, beaten by the Red Sox in his only start of the season, returns to the pitching mound today when the Yankees move in for the start of a four-game series.

Washington Manager Ossie Bluege, in outlining his pitching program against the Yankees, yesterday expressed confidence in Hudson despite his defeat by Boston.

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"That bean ball incident when he hit Johnny Pesky on the head unsettled Sid in Boston," said Bluege. "Until then, he was pitching good ball. And I liked him in the two relief jobs he did for us previously."

SID HUDSON

Dutch Leonard, the only Washington pitcher to beat the Yankees in the recent three-game series in New York, won't be available for the Yankee games here, said Bluge. "His leg is still black and blue from that pulled muscle, and he may not pitch for another week."

Walter Masterson, Roger Wolff and perhaps Rae Scarborough will be tossed at the Yankees in succeeding games of the series, Bluege said.

The Nats' manager is now resigned to the preponderance of left-handed hitters in his batting order, declaring that "Jeff Heath will be in there against all kinds of pitching unless his hitting falls 'way off. The only change I may make is to play Jack Sanford at first base against left handers."

Rookie Pitcher Oliverio Ortiz parted company with the Nats yesterday, released on option to their Chattanooga farm club which was crying for pitching help . . . Bluege, who is impressed with Ortiz, will bring back the husky right hander at the first sign of pitching distress on his own club . . . all reserved seat tickets for Sunday's double header with the Yankees have been sold . . . Pitcher Ray Scarborough, who insists on working frequently, will take a starting turn every fourth day, says Bluege . . . Stan Spence, despite the fact he is batting only .250, leads the club in batting in runs with 10 . . . the pleasantly surprising feature of the Nats' play this season, according to Bluege, is Sherry Robertson's performance at third base and with the bat.

Giants' Release of Mungo May Close Hectic Career

By the Associated Press

New York, April 25.—Van Lingle Mungo, often called "Peck's bad boy of baseball" appeared to be at the end of the big league trail today when the New York Giants handed him an unconditional release.

The tempestuous chucker who put Pageland, S. C., on the diamond map, was the top winner for Mel Ott's Giants last year when he returned from the Army to stage a fine comeback with a 14-7 win record.

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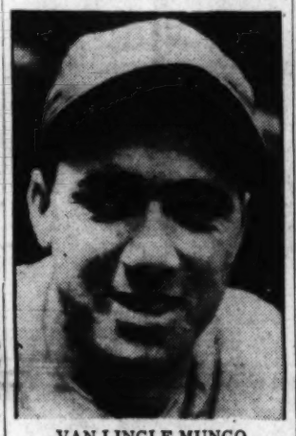

VAN LINGLE MUNGO

Mungo had received little attention at the Giants' spring camp in Miami and was knocked out of the box in one of his first pitching efforts on the way home. The tempermental tosser objected to Ott's action in taking him out of the game and made a scene on the field.

A few days later in Richmond, Va., Ott suspended his ace chucker indefinitely for "breaking training."

Although he tied the modern major league record by striking out seven men in succession in 1936 and led the league in innings pitched, shutouts and strikeouts he never quite made the 20-win mark.

His record is spotted with fines and suspensions as well as excellent pitching feats.

Last year he turned over a new leaf and pitched steady ball for Ott. This spring brought another blow-off. Now he's on the outside looking in.

Mexico Loop Wants No Part of Mungo

Mexico City, April 25 (AP).—There is no apparent prospect of Van Lingle Mungo, released by the Giants, joining the Mexican League.

Several weeks ago when Mungo was mentioned among other prospects by fans, Jorge Pasquel, president of the Mexican League, said he wasn't much interested. Pasquel said he had heard Mungo was "hard to handle" and he didn't want a player of that type.

D. C. Fight Board Breaks With N. Y.

Differences between the National Boxing Association and the New York State Athletic Commission flared up again yesterday when the District of Columbia Commission abrogated a working agreement with the New Yorkers.

Chairman Harvey L. Heinie Miller announced that the District Commissioner's action was due directly to failure of the New York Commission to abide by NBA decisions affecting certain boxers.

The District Commission is affiliated with the NBA and Miller said that NBA States "have been critical of maintaining working agreements with non-NBA States."

Md.-Va. Rained Out

The Maryland-Virginia baseball game scheduled yesterday at College Park was rained out.

Standings in the Majors

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Standing of the Clubs

Club.	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Detroit	6	2	.750	...
New York	7	3	.700	...
Boston	7	3	.700	...
Cleveland	3	3	.500	2
St. Louis	3	5	.375	2½
Chicago	3	5	.375	3
WASHINGTON	3	6	.333	3½
Philadelphia	2	7	.222	4½

Yesterday's Results

Philadelphia at WASHINGTON, rain.

Boston, 12; New York, 5.

Detroit, 6; St. Louis, 5.

Chicago, 11; Cleveland, 2.

Today's Games

New York at WASHINGTON.

Page (0-0) vs. Hudson (0-1).

Chicago at Cleveland.

Feller (1-1) vs. Lee (0-1).

Boston at Philadelphia

Heflin (0-0) vs. Fowler (0-1).

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Standing of the Clubs

Club.	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Brooklyn	7	1	.875	...
St. Louis	7	2	.778	½
Boston	5	4	.556	2½
Chicago	4	4	.500	3
Pittsburgh	4	5	.444	3½
New York	3	6	.333	4½
Cincinnati	3	7	.300	5
Philadelphia	2	6	.250	5

Yesterday's Results

Boston, 5; New York, 4.

Pittsburgh, 5; St. Louis, 3.

Cincinnati, 7; Chicago, 5.

Brooklyn at Philadelphia, rain.

Today's Games

Brooklyn at New York.

Behrman (1-0) or Lombardi (1-0) vs. Voiselle (1-0).

St. Louis at Pittsburgh.

Martin (0-0) vs. Ostermueller (0-0).

Cincinnati at Chicago.

Beggs (1-1) vs. Wyse (0-1).

Only games scheduled.

Braves Edge Giants, 5-4, on Squeeze Play

New York, April 25 (AP).—The Boston Braves made a sweep of the two game series with the New York Giants, winning today's game, 5-4, when Froilan Fernandez successfully squeezed home Johnny Hopp from third in the ninth inning.

Hopp was hit by one of Ken Trinkle's pitches as the last frame opened, and raced all the way to third when Trinkle threew wildly to first on Tommy Holmes' sacrifice bunt.

Connie Ryan, first up for the Braves, had cracked a home run to put the Braves in the lead, but the Giants went ahead in the third when Mickey Witey homered with one on. Phil Masi regained the lead for Boston with a three-run homer in the sixth, but the Giants came back in the last half of the eighth to deadlock the game when Ernie Lombardi doubled in Witek who had reached base on an error by Ray Sanders.

Boston.	AB	H	O	A	New York.	AB	H	O	A
Ryan,2b	5	2	3	2	Rigney,ss	4	0	2	4
Hopp,cf	4	0	2	0	Witek,2b	3	2	2	2
Holmes,rf	3	3	0	0	Marshall,rf	3	1	1	0
Sanders,1b	4	0	10	1	Mize,1b	4	0	11	1
Rowell,lf	1	0	2	0	Cooper,c	1	0	1	1
Fernandez,lf	2	1	1	0	Lombardi,c	3	2	6	0
Masi,c	4	2	1	0	Maynard	0	0	1	0
Roberge,3b	5	1	1	5	3	Kluttz,c	0	0	0	0
Wietelmann	4	2	6	4	Young,cf	4	0	1	0
Lee,p	4	1	0	0	Gordon,lf	4	0	1	2
					Kerr,3b	4	0	1	2
Totals	35	12	27	12	Kennedy,p	2	1	1	0
					Feldman,p	0	0	0	1
					†Pike	1	0	0	0
					Trinkle,p	0	0	0	2
					‡Ott	0	0	0	0
					§Rucker	0	0	0	0
					Totals	32	6	27	14

*Batted for Feldman in seventh.
†Ran for Lombardi in eighth.
‡Batted for Trinkle in ninth.
§Ran for Ott in ninth.

Boston	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	—5
New York	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	—4

Runs—Ryan, Hopp, Holmes, Fernandes, Masi, Witek (3), Kennedy. Errors—Wietelmann, Sanders, Trinkle. Runs batted in—Ryan, Mize, Witek (2), Masi (3), Lombardi, Fernandes. Two-base hits—Ryan, Holmes, Fernandes, Lombardi. Home runs—Ryan, Witek, Masi. Sacrifices—Rigney, Lee, Marshall, Holmes, Fernandes. Double play—Sanders to Wietelmann. Left on bases—Boston, 11; New York, 6. Base on balls—Kennedy, 2; Trinkle, 1; Lee, 3; Feldman, 1. Strikeouts—Kennedy, 4; Lee, 1; Feldman, 1. Hits—Kennedy, 10 in 5⅓; Feldman 1 in 1⅔; Trinkle, 1 in 2. Hit by pitcher—Trinkle (Hopp). Loser—Trinkle. Umpires—Barlick, Pinelli and Ballanfant. Time—2:17. Attendance—8789.

Chisox Blast 4 Tribe Hurlers In 11-2 Beating

Cleveland, April 25 (AP).—The Cleveland Indians' defense fell apart at the seams today and the Chicago White Sox belted four Tribe hurlers for 17 hits and a 11-to-2 triumph in the opener of a two-game series.

Starter Allie Reynolds lasted only until the third inning when the Sox pushed across five runs on the combination of five singles, an error and three bases on balls. Reynolds was followed by Pete Center, Vic Johnson and Johnny Podgajny.

Lefty Ed Lopat shut out the Indians until the eighth as he won his second start of the season. Lopat also contributed to the Chicago offense with three singles in four trips to the plate. Hal Trosky blasted a home run for Chicago in the fifth.

Chicago.	AB	H	O	A	Cleveland.	AB	H	O	A
Tucker,cf	5	1	4	0	Case,lf	5	2	3	0
Kolloway,2b	6	2	5	5	M'kiewicz,cf	5	2	3	0
Wright,rf	4	1	0	0	Seerey,rf	5	1	3	0
Appling,ss	5	3	2	7	Fleming,1b	4	2	2	1
Trosky,1b	6	1	9	0	Keltner,3b	3	0	0	1
Hodgin,lf	5	1	2	0	Boudreau,ss	4	1	1	4
L'iziani,3b	5	2	2	3	Lollar,c	2	0	3	0
Fernandez,c	4	2	3	0	Hegan,c	2	0	3	0
Lopat,p	4	3	0	0	Mack,2b	4	0	2	1
					Reynolds,p	0	0	0	0
Totals	44	17	27	14	Center,p	1	0	0	0
					*Monaco	1	0	0	0
					Johnson,p	0	0	0	1
					†Meyer	1	0	0	0
					Podgajny,p	0	0	0	0
					‡Brewster	0	0	0	0
					Totals	37	9	27	8

*Batted for Center in fifth.
†Batted for Johnson in seventh.
‡Batted for Podgajny in ninth.

Chicago	0	0	0	5	0	1	0	1	1	—11
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	— 2

Runs—Tucker (2), Kolloway, Wright (2), Trosky (2), Lodigiani, Fernandes, Lopat (2), Seerey, Mack. Errors—Reynolds, Kolloway, Lodigiani, Boudreau, Johnson. Runs batted in—Appling, Hodgin (2), Fernandez (2), Trosky (2), Fleming, Tucker (2), Wright, Mackiewicz. Two-base hits—Seerey, Lodigiani, Fernandez. Three-base hits—Fleming, Tucker. Home run—Trosky. Stolen base—Kolloway. Double plays—Seerey to Hegan, Appling to Kolloway to Trosky. Left on bases—Chicago, 12; Cleveland, 10. Base on balls—Reynolds, 2; Center, 2; Johnson, 1; Lopat, 2. Strikeouts—Reynolds, 3; Johnson, 1; Podgajny, 3; Lopat, 3. Hits—Reynolds, 6 in 2⅓; Center, 2 in 2⅔; Johnson, 3 in 2; Podgajny, 6 in 2. Passed ball—Fernandez. Loser—Reynolds. Umpires—Rue, Passarella and McGowan. Time—2:31. Attendance—2500.

Virginia Golfers Defeat W.-L., 7 to 5

Charlottesville, Va., April 25 (AP).—Virginia's golfers, opened their collegiate dual meet schedule here with a 7-2 victory over Washington and Lee.

Low scores were turned in by Virginia's Pat Janssen with 74, Dick Leonard, with 75 and Ray Loving with 76

Individuals—Janssen (Va.) defeated Harper; Leonard (Va.) defeated Carr; Loving (Va.) defeated Keland; Stevenson (W. and L.) defeated Roberts; Eisemann (Va.) all even with Crest; Galt (Va.) defeated Tulley.

Foursomes — Janssen-Leonard (Va.) defeated Harper-Carr; Loving-Dobert (Va.) all even with Keland-Stevenson; Eisenmann-Galt (Va.) defeated Crest-Tulley.

Shore League Writers Ponder All-Star Game

Federalsburg, Md., April 25 (AP).—J. Thomas Kibler, president of the Eastern Shore League, announced today that the Eastern Shore Sports Writers' Association would meet on April 28 to discuss the possibility of a league all-star baseball game to select awards for the most valuable player.

Team managers, official scorers, club business managers, and team officials will attend the meeting. Ed Nichols, sports writer of the Salisburg Times and association president, will preside. A vice president, secretary and treasurer will be elected at the parley.

No. 1 "Bum" Cheered

Leo Durocher Is Hero To Fans After Acquittal

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

THE "LIP" IS FREE—A loyal Dodger fan congratulates Leo (The Lip) Durocher (left), Brooklyn manager, after his acquittal yesterday on a charge of assault on an Ebbets Field customer last June. In the background are Joseph Moore (partially obscured), a stadium guard who was codefendant with Durocher, and his attorney, Louis Heller

New Yrk, April 25 (INS).—A baseball-fan jury acquitted Leo Durocher of assault charges today and 300 Brooklyn partisans cheered their No. 1 "bum" in his hour of legal triumph.

The baseball manager and Joseph Moore, 50-year-old special policeman at Ebbets Field, were cleared in 38 minutes of charges that they beat up and broke the busy jaw of a fog-horn-voiced spectator who had assailed the Dodgers' honesty.

Thus did the jurors indicate their loyal conviction that, while the Dodgers may be called bums or broken-down bush leaguers or gowanus gerties, they may never be called "crooks."

Durocher denied he broke the heckler's jaw or that, in fact, he had laid a hand on the man—23-year-old John Christian, burly 230-pounder and forger GI.

Judge Congratulates Jury

Judge Louis Goldstein congratulated the jury on its verdict. He said:

"Gentlemen, your verdict is a fair and just one based on the evidence. I am glad for the sake of the Brooklyn baseball team that their manager has been cindicated and that no discredit has been placed on the great American game of baseball."

And to the defendants, the judge said:

"I want to congratulate you on the result. It is further proof that justice can be expected from our American juries."

Christian, who thought his fighting days were over when he left the Army, mad the mistake of betting against the Dodgers and denouncing them in sharp terms from the stands on the night of June 6 last.

Can't Call 'Em Crooks

Both defendants and Christian agreed that Christian had upbraided the bums on that fateful night. But when Policeman Moore brought down Christian from the grandstand to a room behind the Dodger dugout, Durocher said he told the husky war veteran:

"If you don't like Durocher or the Dodgers that's your business, but you can't accuse me or any of my boys of being crooks."

Durocher said Christian then called him a vile name and ran from the room: Then, said the manager, Christian fell over a water trough. Durocher denied that either himself or Moore slugged the Dodger hater with a blackjack.

In a previous civil suit Durocher paid Christian $6,100 damages, explaining he did so only because he could not return to the club until the civil action was cleared up.

Cambridge Nine Gets New Manager

Cambridge, Md., April 25 (AP).—The appointment of Jim Cooney, second baseman, as playing manager of the Cambridge Dodgers baseball team was announced today by the management of the Eastern Shore League Club.

The selection was made by Branch Rickey, head man of the Brooklyn Dodgers, who owns the local outfit.

Cooney, who is 28 and weighs 165 pounds, is a nephew of Johnny Cooney, former big league veteran. He broke into organized ball in 1939 with the Elmira (N. Y.) team of the Pony League, and that year batted .329, in 1940 he was with the Grand Rapids Club of the Michigan State League and a year later belonged to Santa Barbara, Calif.

In 1945 he was called into the service and spent four years with the Navy. He was discharged last September.

Cooney will bring the Cambridge team from its training headquarters in Thomasville, N. C., next Monday.

Stranahan Tops Dudley in Golf

Pinehurst, N. C., April 25 (AP).—Frank Stranahan of Toledo, the medalist, defeated C. B. Dudley of Greenville, S. C., 3 and 1 in the semifinals of the North and South amateur golf tournament here today.

In the other semifinal Hub Covington of Orangeburg, S. C., eliminated George T. Dunlap, jr., of Pinehurst, seven times winner of this event and a former national champion, 1 up.

Tigers Trip Browns, 6-5, In Slugfest

St. Louis, April 25 (AP).—A long range hitting attack against four St. Louis Browns pitchers won a 6-5 ball game today for the Detroit Tigers, whose veteran southpaw, Hal Newhouser, staved off a 5-run assault in the fourth by a revamped Brownie batting order.

The victory put the Tigers on top of the American eLague standings, replacing a N. Y. Yankee team that was routed by Boston yesterday, 12-5.

The Browns spotted eDtroit four runs in the fourth as Starting Pitcher Johnnie Miller went to the showers. Roy Cullenbine's first homer of the season scored Hank Greenberg with the Tigers' fourth run. Then the Browns hammered Newhouser for six hits in their half to take a 5-4 lead.

Greenberg doubled in the eighth and scored the tying run on Dick Wakefield's single. With two out George Tebbett's pop fly dropped behind Babe Dahlgren for a single and Cullenbine scored for second.

The Browns made their runs on doubles by Chet Laabs, Frank Mancuso and Johnny Berardino and singles by Walt Judnich and Len Schulte.

Detroit	AB	H	O	A	St. Louis	AB	H	O	A
Lake,ss	2	0	0	2	B'ardino,2b	5	2	4	2
Webb,ss	2	1	0	1	D'green,1b	5	1	12	0
Mayo,2b	5	1	4	4	Stephens,ss	4	2	3	2
McCosky,cf	5	1	2	0	Laabs,rf	5	1	1	0
Cullenbine,lf	3	2	2	0	McQuillen,lf	4	0	2	0
Wakefield,lf	1	1	3	0	Judnich,cf	4	2	4	0
C'enbine,rf	4	1	1	0	Ch'tman,3b	4	0	1	6
Riggins,2b	3	1	1	3	Mancuso,p	2	1	1	2
Tebbetts,c	3	1	8	1	Miller,p	2	0	0	0
Newhouser,p	4	0	2	3	Zoldak,p	0	0	0	0
					*Schulte	1	1	0	0
Totals	36	10	27	15	Perens,p	0	0	0	1
					†Lucadello	1	0	0	0
					Kramer,p	0	0	0	0
					Totals	36	7	27	16

Detroit	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	2	0	—6
St. Louis	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	—5

Runs—Mayo, McCosky, Greenberg (2), Cullenbine (2), Laabs, McQuillen, Christman, Mancuso, Schulte. Error—Bernardino. Runs batted in—McCosky, Greenberg, Cullenbine (2), Judnich, Mancuso, Schulte (2), Bernardino, Wakefield. Two-base hits—Mayor, McCosky, Greenberg (2), Laabs, Mancuso, Bernardino, Stephens, Judnich. Home run—Cullenbine. Sacrifice—Perens. Double plays—Newhouser to Webb to Greenberg; Christman to Dahlgren. Left on bases—Detroit, 6; St. Louis, 8. Base on balls—Newhouser, 3; Zoldak, 1; Perens, 2. Strikeouts—Newhouser, 7; Miller, 2. Hits—Miller, 5 in 3⅓; Zoldak, 0 in ⅔; Perens, 4 in 4; Kramer, 1 in 1. Losing pitcher—Perens. Umpires—Hubbard, Pingras and Berry. Time, 2:06. Attendance, 4946 (paid).

He May Jump . . .

Bertelli Eyes Huge Offer of Boston Yanks

West Springfield, Mass. April 25 (U.P.).—Angelo Bertelli, Notre Dames All-American quarterback of 1943, said today he might jump from the Los Angeles Dons of the All-America Conference to the Boston Yanks of the National Football League.

Bertelli

Recently returned from two years' service in the Pacific with the Marines, Bertelli said he had been approached by the Yanks shortly after his discharge at Boston Monday, and was offered "a lot more money" than he ever expected to draw as a pro player.

Bertelli, nicknamed the "Springfield Rifle" after his great season as a passer at Notre Dame three years ago, said he would discuss the proposition with General Manager Slip Madigan of the Los Angeles team. Bertelli's signing with the All-America Conference was announced more than a year ago.

"I would like to take advantage of the Boston offer," Bertelli said, adding that he probably would see Madigan in mid-July when he goes to the West Coast to begin practice.

Bertelli still plans to return to Notre Dame next February to complete his studies and obtain a degree in June.

Court Refuses Owners' Appeal For Purses

Baltimore, April 25 (AP).—Judge Emory H. Niles declined today to order the Maryland Racing Commission to release purses won at Pimlico last November by two horses which analysis showed had been stimulated.

Judge Niles upheld demurrers filed by the State in the Maryland Circuit Court for Baltimore City to suits by W. L. Brann and S. W. Labrot, jr., seeking to compel the commission to release $2200 purses won by their horses, New Challenge and Shako.

The commission had held up the purses pending action by the Maryland Court of Appeals on an appeal from a Circuit Court decision holding invalid the commission's rule 198. This rule requires that applicants for trainer's licenses consent to summary suspension or revocation of the permit by the commission.

Brann and Labrot had also asked the Circuit Court to direct the Racing Commission to issue licenses to their trainers, Edward A. Christmas and Clay Sutphin, without qualification. The jurist also sustained the State's demurrer to this request.

Christmas, Sutphin and Trainer J. Dallet (Dolly) Byers, all suspended on stimulation charges, were reinstated with reservations by the commission after the Circuit Court had held the racing body's action invalid.

The State appealed the Byers case and declined to give a clean bill of health to any of the trainers pending a decision by the Court of Appeals.

"It seems to me that the commission is holding things on ice until the Court of Appeals acts on the case pending before it," Judge Niles said. "I can see no real damage to either of the plaintiffs if the demurrers are sustained.

Bucs, Kiner End Cardinals' Streak, 5 to 3

Pittsburgh, April 25 (AP).—Led by young Ralph Kiner's 450-foot home-run belt, the Pittsburgh Pirates handed the St. Louis Cardinals their first defeat in eight games today, 5 to 3, and knocked them out of a first-place tie with the Brooklyn Dodgers.

The Dodgers, also winners of seven consecutive contests, remained in first place as rain forced a postponement of their game at Philadelphia.

Kiner, the lad that got the razzberry a few days ago, all but stood a crowd of 10,585 on its collective ear as he drove in the Bucs' first run in the first inning and then hammered out a tremendous homer in the third that cleared the scoreboard in left field. Maurice Van Robays, who had doubled, was aboard.

It was Kiner's second round-tripper of the season.

Ken Heintzelman, who handed the Red Birds their other loss on opening day in St. Louis, also was returned the winner today. He had to retire in the seventh, however, because of a blister on the index finger of his pitching hand. Preacher Roe came in to fan four of the nine batsmen he faced and clinch the victory.

Frankie Gustine, with two doubles and a single, paced the Buc attack along with Kiner.

St. Louis	AB	H	O	A	Pittsburgh	AB	H	O	A
Klein,2b	4	0	2	5	Gustine,2b	5	3	2	1
S'dienst,3b	5	2	0	1	VanRobays,lf	3	1	2	0
Musial,lf	5	2	1	0	Russell,lf	0	0	0	0
Sl'ghter,rf	3	3	2	0	Kiner,cf	4	1	3	0
Adams,cf	2	0	3	0	O'Dodo,cf	0	0	1	0
Sisler,1b	4	0	10	0	Elliott,3b	2	1	2	1
Marion,ss	4	0	3	4	Fletcher,1b	3	0	5	1
Rice,c	4	0	3	0	Cox,ss	4	2	0	2
*Moore	1	0	0	0	Guintini,rf	4	2	0	0
Wilber,c	0	0	3	0	Barrett,rf	1	0	1	0
Brecheen,p	2	0	0	1	Smith,c	2	0	6	0
†Kurowski	1	0	0	0	O'Colman	3	0	3	0
‡Cross	0	0	0	0	Camelli,c	1	0	0	0
Dickson,p	0	0	0	0	H'zelman,p	3	1	0	0
§Dusak	1	0	0	0	Roe,p	1	0	0	0
Krist,p	0	0	0	0					
Totals	35	7	24	11	Totals	32	9	27	4

*Batted for Rice in sixth.
†Batted for Brecheen in sixth.
‡Ran for Kurowski in sixth.
§Batted for Dickson in eighth.
‖Batted for Smith in sixth.

St. Louis	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	—3
Pittsburgh	1	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	x	—5

Runs—Klein, Schoendienst, Musial, Gustine, Van Robays, Cox, Kiner, Barrett. Errors—Elliott, Kiner. Runs batted in—Kiner (3), Musial, Adams, Gustine (2). Two base hits—Gustine (2), Van Robays, Schoendienst. Home run — Kiner. Stolen bases — Schoendienst, Slaughter. Sacrifice—Van Robays. Left on bases—St. Louis, 10; Pittsburgh, 8. Base on balls—Brecheen, 3; Heintzelman, 4; Dickson, 1; Roe, 1. Strikeouts—Heintzelman, 3; Dickson, 2; Roe, 4. Hits—Brecheen, 6 in 6⅔; Dickson, 3 in 2; Krist, 0 in 1; Heintzelman, 7 in 6⅓; Roe, 0 in 2⅔. Winning pitcher—Heintzelman. Losing pitcher—Brecheen. Umpires—Goetz, Jorda and Reardon. Time, 2:11. Attendance, 10,585 (517 ladies).

Lord Boswell Stakes Winner

Lexington, Ky., April 25 (AP).—Mrs. Elizabeth Graham's Lord Boswell won the Blue Grass Stakes today to become the favorite for the Kentucky Derby, but simultaneously it was announced that another of Mrs. Graham's leading derby hopes, Star Pilot, would not start in the big race May 4.

Star Pilot, champion 2-year-old colt of last year, has not been training too well and as result was declared out of the Derby. His withdrawal leaves Mrs. Graham with Lord Boswell, Knockdown and Colony Boy as her Derby hopes.

In a smashing finish after being all but left at the post, the high-powered son of Boswell, piloted by Eddie Arcaro, who will ride him in the Derby, hung his nose on the wire in front of Hal Price Headley's Pellicle.

Warren Wright's In Earnest, who battled it out with the pacesetters most of the way around, finished third, 2½ lengths behind the two leaders, and a neck in front of Headley's Plumper, who cut out all the early pace before fading.

Cubs Blow Up As Reds End 1945 Jinx, 7-5

Chicago, April 25 (AP).—The Cincinnati Reds squelched their 1945 nemesis, the Chicago Cubs, for the first time in four 1946 meetings, but needed a fielding blowup by the Bruins for a 7-5 decision before 9314 shivering fans at today's opener of a two-game series.

Three Cub miscues gave the Reds as many unearned markers in the seventh inning and chased Cub starter Hank Borowy on the short end of a 6-4 score. Reliefer Johnny Hetki, second of three Redleg hurlers, was the winner.

It was Cincinnati's second triumph in the last 26 starts against the Cubs.

After errors by Borowy and Shortstop Bob Sturgeon helped the Reds fill the bases in the seventh Catcher Mickey Livingston, trying to complete a double play at first, pegged the ball into right field, letting across Cincinnati's fifth and sixth tallies.

Rookie Outfielder Marv Rickert of the Cubs banged five singles in five trips.

Cincinnati	AB	H	O	A
Frey,2b	3	2	2	3
McC'ick,cf	4	2	1	2
Hatton,3b	4	0	1	2
Moss,rf	5	1	2	0
Usher,rf	0	0	0	0
West,lf	3	1	2	0
Miller,ss	5	2	2	3
Haas,1b	5	0	10	0
Mueller,c	4	1	7	0
Walters,p	2	0	0	3
Hetki,p	2	0	0	1
Lambert,p	0	0	0	0
Totals	37	10	27	12

Chicago	AB	H	O	A
Hack,3b	4	0	1	2
Johnson,2b	5	0	4	2
Lowrey,lf	3	0	1	0
C'retta,rf	4	1	0	0
Rickert,cf	5	5	1	1
Waitkus,1b	5	3	10	1
L'ingston,c	2	2	7	0
*Becker	1	0	0	0
Scheffing,c	0	0	1	0
Sturgeon,ss	3	0	1	2
†Gilbert	1	0	0	0
Erickson,p	0	0	0	1
Borowy,p	3	0	1	3
‡D'lessandro	0	0	0	0
§Stringer,ss	0	0	0	1
Kush,p	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	11	27	12

*Batted for Livingston in eighth.
†Batted for Sturgeon in eighth.
‡Batted for Erickson in eighth.
§Ran for Dallessandro in eighth.

Cincinnati	2 0 0 0 1 0 3 0 1—7
Chicago	0 1 0 3 0 0 0 1 0—5

Runs—Frey (2), McCormick (2), Hatton, West, Hetki, Lowrey, Cavarretta (2), Rickert (2). Errors—Sturgeon, Borowy, Livingston, Usher. Runs batted in—Miller (3), Moss, Waitkus (2), Livingston (2). Two-base hits—Mueller, Waitkus, West. Sacrifices—Hatton, Livingston. Double play—Walters, Miller and Haas. Left on bases—Cincinnati, 9; Chicago, 10. Bases on balls—Walters, 2; Hetki, 3; Borowy, 5. Strikeouts—Walters, 2; Borowy, 3; Hetki, 3; Erickson, 2; Lambert, 1. Hits—Walters, 6 in 4; Borowy, 7 in 6⅓; Lambert, 1 in 1⅔; Hetki 4 in 2⅔; Erickson 1 in 1⅔; Kush, 2 in 1. Passed ball—Scheffing. Winning pitcher—Hetki; losing pitcher, Borowy. Umpires—Barr, Conlan and Boggess. Time, 2:21. Attendance, 9,314.

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wood Aress to victory in the second race. The son of Hilltown finished 6 lengths in front of Mrs. A. S. Dodd's Wee Gray with H. S. Horkheimer's Pharaquest third in the field of 10 going 6 furlongs. Hawkwood Aress paid $7.70 and was clocked in 1:15 2-5.

The $26.70 pay-off on the daily double also was a family affair. J. P. Jones saddled With Honor in the first race and his son, W. G. Jones, was the trainer of Hawkwood Aress.

Between Races . . . Apprentice Don Padgett has forged to the front of the local riders. . . . Rock Hill Farm's Shaffie was not named for Saturday's Eastern Shore here but the Aberdeen winner will be seen in action at Pimlico. . . . Eddie Arcaro is due here Saturday to ride Foxcatcher Farm's Hampden in the $20,000 Chesapeake. . . . Cedar Farm's George Case had a sore leg which accounts for his being scratched today. . . . Lovemenow has been assigned top weight of 122 pounds for the $5000 added Rennert Handicap, Pimlico's feature next Tuesday. . . . Miss Kimo, winner of the Rosedale Stakes in New York for William Helis, trained at this track for the event. . . . The daughter of Hash and Nedive is scheduled to appear here at the second meeting in the Eastern Shore Stakes, a five-furlong event. . . . Trainer Frank Normile, just out of the armed forces, was a visitor and will take a conditioning job soon.

Moore-Ezzard Signed

New York, April 25 (AP).—Jimmy Johnston said today he had signed a contract for a light heavyweight bout in Pittsburgh on May 20 in which his battler, Archie Moore, would tangle with Ezzard Charles of Pittsburgh.

Jamaica

By the Associated Press

1—¾; $4000; 3-year-old fillies; allowances.

Linda	113	His Daughter	108
She's Home	113	Waymark	113
Harvest Night	113	Sue Creek	113
Bells of Reigh	113		

2—¾; $4000; 3-year-old fillies; allowances.

Epinaze	113	Half After	113
Sewed Up	113	Darby Devon	113
Rains Came	113	Darby Duma	113
Jittery Jane	113		

3—1 1/16; $4000; maiden 3-year-olds up.

Afreet	113	Fonda	113
Sea Wolf	113	Calvados	113
Chance Thread	113	Crack Time	115
Bullgar	113	Weather Cock	108
Alrusha	108		

4—¾; $4500; 4-year-olds up; class D.

Vitamin Dee	108	Mahmoudess	116
Darby Delilah	111	Siriette	113
Timore	112	Shrub	108
Liberty Trite	108	Miss Drummond	110

5—¾; $4500; 2-year-olds; allowances.

W. A. Moore	112	Autofly	117
Algrette	109	Fiddler's Three	112
Miss Yam	109	†Decor	114
†Transair	112	Volatile	112
Our Tommy	112		

†H. McL. Fenwick and V. Emanuel entry.

6—1 1/16; $4000; maiden 3-year-olds up.

Mr. Zip	106	Camptown Track	113
Stan Tracy	113	Cientifico	106
Rush Light	118	Happy Forecast	110
Chance Morn	122	Escarp	113
Stage Star	113		

7—1 1/16; $3500; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Flight Nurse	108	Sirgano	114
Flintee	112	Ballyrag	111
Whipped Cream	108	Jack Dove	114
Jacian	114	Ronrey	113
Dina Flag	104	Callmenow	108
Malachi	111	Blanco	108
Bright Camp	114	Esposita	108

JAMAICA SELECTIONS

1—Linda, Sue Creek, Bells of Reigh.
2—Sewed Up, Darby Devon, Jittery Jane.
3—Chance Thread, Alrusha, Calvados.
4—Miss Drummond, Siriette, Mahmoudess.
5—Transair, Miss Yam, Volatile.
6—ESCARP, Stage Star, Chance Morn.
7—Ballyrag, Flintee, Jack Dove.
Louisville Times (AP).

1—¾; $3500; maiden 2-year-olds.
Frond Miss, 110 (Mehrtens) 45.40 14.70 5.50
Nangus, 113 (Wright) 2.80 2.30
*Ann Frances, 110 (McCreary) 2.70
Carrara, Ida A., Experiment, Antagonist, The Cleaner, †Katerina.
†L. Gerngross-E. Schwarzhaupt entry.

2—¾; $3500; 3-year-olds; claiming.
White Wine, 114 (Guerin) 6.20 3.40 3.00
Irish Count, 119 (Dencso) 3.20 2.70
Mr. Chap, 114 (Miller) 4.30
Farm Man, Darby Dune, Asthelite, Sunshade, Golden Warbler, Stage Song.

3—¾; $4500; 4-year-olds up; allowances.
Sir Bim, 113 (James) 3.00 2.70 2.50
Lucky Aunt, 108 (McCreary) 7.20 4.70
Pompion, 117 (Givens) 4.70
Cocogrande, Noview, Flood Town, Dance Pretty.

4—¾; $3500; 3-year-olds; allowances.
First Pebble, 117 (Adams) 36.00 14.00 6.00
Merry King, 113 (McGowan) 5.20 3.20
Window Shopper, 112 (Longden) 2.60
J. L. Moore, Highfortidies, Jolly Soul, Marled, Fast Light, Sam Bernard, New Challenge.

5—¾; $4500; 4-year-olds up; allowances.
Play Pretty, 120 (Atkinson) 9.10 4.50 3.40
Stage Fire, 118 (Jessop) 6.60 4.60
Forum, 113 (James) 3.40
Paper Mill, Breezing Home, Hard War, Bee Twentynine.

6—1 1/16; $4500; 4-year-olds up; allowances.
Pukka Gin, 114 (Longden) 13.20 6.10 4.40
Black Swan, 117 (Atkinson) 4.00 3.60
Bellwether, 114 (Adams) 11.10
Brook Ship, Wayanoke, Adonis, Anticlimax, Flying Port, Toy Bomb, Meadow Maid.

7—1 1/16; $3500; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
Histrionic, 113 (McCreary) 10.00 5.70 4.60
Danger, 113 (Nash) 10.10 6.00
Reivanette, 107 (Garza) 4.30
Rarified, Alport, Cabourg, J. Lee Greenock, Best Quest.

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By Bill Ruble

Official Havre De Grace Charts

THURSDAY, APRIL 25, 1946—BY WALTER HAIGHT.
WEATHER RAINING, TRACK GOOD.

FIRST RACE—Four and one-half furlongs. Purse, $2500. For maiden 2-year-old fillies. Start good. Off at 2:17⅘. Winner, A. B. Hancock's dk. b. f. (2) by Rhodes Scholar—Lost Horizon. Value to winner, $1650. Time, 0:53⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
WITH HONOR	(Walters)	112	10	3	1^1	1^1½	1^ns	$3.05
L'HEURE	(Snider)	117	2	2	2^1	2^1	2^1	2.70
HELENE	(Mann)	117	4	5	5^hd	5½	3^h	4.70
LUNCH QUEST	(Moon)	117	1	1	3^1½	6^1	4^1	9.35
VELOCITY MISS	(C.Kirk)	117	11	8	7½	7^1½	5^1	12.10
SUN GAY	(Howell)	117	12	10	11½	8^1½	6½	9.05
DECOUPAGE	(Basile)	117	7	7	2½	9^1½	7^1	33.35
PORTWARD	(Root)	117	6	6	4^1	3½	8^1	67.70
UP TICK	(Scawthorn)	117	3	4	6^1	4½	9^1	19.70
ROSES ARE RED	(Roberts)	117	8	12	10½	11^1	10^1	50.80
ALAROSA	(Mora)	117	5	11	12	10½	11^1	51.00
SAINT'S MOUNT	(Mills)	117	9	9	9^1	12	12	39.05

WITH HONOR, $8.10, $3.90, $2.90; L'Heure, $3.60, $3.00; HELENE, $3.80.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $2500. For 3-year-olds; claiming. Start good. Off at 2:46½. Winner, R. S. Reynold, jr.'s br. g. (3) by Hilltown—Shasta Negra. Value to winner, $1650. Time, 1:15⅖.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
HAWKWOOD ARESS	(Walters)	109	8	1	1^hd	1^1½	1^2	1^6	$2.85
WEE GRAY	(Padgett)	106	3	4	2½	3^2	3^1½	2^1	4.05
PHARAQUEST	(Root)	109	9	5	4^1	2^1	2½	3^1½	3.70
CAT EYES	(Flynn)	110	6	7	6^1	5^2	5^2	4^2	24.10
LITTLE PUSH	(Mearle)	113½	10	2	7^2	7^1½	7^2	5^2	116.40
JANE DALE	(Buxton)	109	2	6	5^1	4^hd	4^1	6^2	3.00
GOLD COAST	(Scott)	111	1	9	8^1	6^1	6½	7^1	120.10
GOLD TAG	(Kelly)	114	4	3	3^hd	8½	8½	8^2	36.70
LERNERETTE	(Quattlebaum)	111½	3	8	10	10	9^2	9^2	11.50
NORRISTOWN	(Roberts)	109	7	10	9^2	9½	10	10	62.75

HAWKWOOD ARESS, $7.70, $3.80, $2.80; WEE GRAY, $4.80, $3.30; PHARAQUEST, $3.50.

Daily Double—WITH HONOR and HAWKWOOD ARESS Paid $26.70.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $2500. Maiden 4-year-olds and up. Start good. Off at 3:17. Winner, J. W. Appele's ch. m. (5) by Rosemont—Refreshment. Value to winner, $1650. Time, 1:17⅗.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
FLOWING WATER	(Mearle)	117	11	1	4^2	2^2	2^1½	1^1	$16.10
WAR PEAK	(Howell)	122	1	3	2½	3^1½	1^1	2^2	11.15
ROYAL FAVOR	(Tammaro)	117	9	2	7^1	4^2	3^2	3½	10.95
ECALLAW	(Bernhardt)	122	10	4	1^1½	1^2½	1^2	4^1	53.75
GOLDEN RISK	(Mora)	122	7	6	6^1½	6^2	6½	5½	1.65
DARGLO	(Combest)	117	2	5	3½	5½	5½	6^1½	2.40
FANNIE MAC	(Snider)	117	8	10	9^1	8^1	7^1½	7^2	6.75
MISS McLUKE	(Moon)	117	6	8	5½	7^1	8^1	8^2	25.75
GALLANT DOC	(Quattlebaum)	122	4	9	8^2	9½	9^hd	9½	74.65
IDLE MAN	(DeLara)	122	3	11	11	11	10½	10^2	106.20
BABY L.	(Bauer)	117	5	7	10½	10^1	11	11	98.05

FLOWING WATER, $34.20, $14.90, $11.60; WAR PEAK, $11.10, $7.40; ROYAL FAVOR, $7.60.

FOURTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles. Purse, $2500. For 4-year-olds and up; claiming. Start good. Off at 3:48. Winner, Watson Elliott's b. m. (6) by Mowlee—Kalola. Value to winner, $1650. Time, 1:59⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
MISS KALOLA	(Padgett)	109	5	3	2^2	2^1	1^1	1^1½	1^2	$2.70
JANEGRI	(Combest)	109	1	2	3½	3^2	2^1½	2^2	2^2	1.65
LANCERON	(Baouris)	117	6	5	5^2	5^2	4^2	3^2	3^1	3.05
OLE'S GAL	(Dillon)	113½	4	7	7	7	3^1	4^2	4^2	8.20
DARK DANGER	(Mearle)	114	3	1	1^2	1½	3^nk	5^2	5^2	22.25
RARE FLARES	(Mora)	110	2	6	6^1	6^nk	7	6^2	6^2	15.65
BROOKE VIEW	(Balducci)	113½	7	5	4^2	4½	6^2	7	7	95.25

MISS KALOLA, $7.40, $3.30, $2.50; JANEGRI, $3.10, $2.40; LANCERON, $2.70.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $3000. For 3-year-olds; claiming. Start good. Off at 4:16½. Winner, E. K. Bryson's b. c. (3) by Supremus—Bonnie Queen. Value to winner, $1850. Time, 1:14⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
SKIP ORR	(Jemas)	115	10	1	3^2	2^2	2^1½	1½	$2.60
ARTILLERY BOB	(Basile)	115	9	3	1½	1½	1½	2^1	8.40
POOCHANELLI	(Mora)	108	5	9	7½	4½	4^nk	3^2	4.90
CELESTIAL BLUE	(Gilbert)	115	4	4	4^1	5^2	5^2	4½	3.65
LATE TIME	(W.Kirk)	112	7	2	2½	3½	3^1½	5^2	11.10
ORIAN	(Scawthorn)	109	6	5	5½	6^1	6½	6^1½	12.65
SKIPPY B.	(Padgett)	117	2	8	8^2	8½	7½	7½	13.50
DIATRIBE	(Snellings)	110	3	10	9^1	9^2	8^2	8^2	9.05
AIRILY	(Roberts)	107	1	6	6^1½	7^2	9½	9^2	89.05
PHONESS	(Ferguson)	102	8	7	10	10	10	10	75.75

SKIP ORR, $7.20, $3.20, $3.40; ARTILLERY BOB, $7.70, $5.40; POOCHANELLI, $3.70.

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $3500. For 4-year-olds and up; allowances. Start good. Off at 4:46½. Winner, Walter M. Jeffords' br. c. (4) by Case Ace—Coquelicot. Value to winner, $2200. Time, 1:14.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
PAVOT	(Snellings)	120	2	3	2^1½	2^1	2^2	1^2	$0.85
QUARTER MOON	(Claggett)	120	4	1	1^1½	1^2	1^2	2^2	3.25
HASTEVILLE	(Clark)	120	3	2	3^2	3^2	3^1½	3^1	2.75
MILOS	(Jemas)	115	1	4	4	4	4	4	11.50

PAVOT, $3.70, $2.50, out; QUARTER MOON, $3.30, out; HASTEVILLE, out.

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $2500. For 4-year-olds and up; claiming. Start good. Off at 5:19. Winner, R. D. Driscoll's ch. g. (6) by Byrd—Rose Queen. Value to winner, $1650. Time, 1:51.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
REX-AVIS	(Cherry)	111	1	1	1^1½	1^2	1^2	1^2	1^2	$3.55
TORY ROW	(Quattlebaum)	116	4	5	4^1½	2½	2^1	2^1	2^2	4.40
YLEE-BAR	(DeLara)	115	2	2	2^2	3^1	3^1½	3^2	3^2	28.05
LIGHT LANDING	(Kelly)	116	6	8	7^1	6^2	5^2	4^2	4^2	22.85
WOODBUCK	(Basile)	119	8	6	9	8½	6^1½	5^2	5^2	7.55
SOLID SENDER	(Erickson)	111	7	7	8^1½	7½	7½	6½	6^1½	5.20
QUALITY JANE	(Tammaro)	115	5	3	2^2	4^2	4^2	8	8	83.10
SIR CARROL	(Baouris)	111½	3	9	6½	9	9	7	8	79.30
LIGHT COUNT	(Buxton)	114	9	4	3^2	3^2	3^2	†		2.00

†Pulled up.

REX-AVIS, $9.10, $4.60, $3.30; TORY ROW, $6.10, $4.70; YLEE-BAR, $7.50.

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $2500. For 4-year-olds and up; claiming. Start good. Off at 5:47½. Winner, V. Cicero's ch. g. (4) by War Whoop—Rain Hawk. Value to winner, $1650. Time, 1:53⅗.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
PINCKNEY	(Padgett)	111	5	4	3^2	2½	1^1½	1^1	1^2	$3.25
DON ORLAN	(Erickson)	116	6	5	7^2	7^2	4^2	3^2	2^ns	3.95
FOUND OUT	(Howell)	122	1	2	2^2	1½	3^2	2^1½	3^1	2.15
ROMANCE BOY	(DeLara)	116	2	7	6^2	3^2	2½	5^2	4½	19.30
LIBERTY HEAD	(Campbell)	112	4	8	8	8	7^1	7^10	5^1½	16.60
JAB ME	(Griggs)	116	7	3	5^1	5^1	5^2	4^hd	6^1	11.05
AIR DEFENSE	(Tammaro)	116	3	6	4^1	6^hd	6^2	6^2	7^25	6.35
HADA BAR	(Moon)	114	8	1	1^1	4^1	8	8	8	24.10

PINCKNEY, $8.50, $3.80, $2.90; DON ORLAN, $4.70, $2.80; FOUND OUT, $2.70.

Havre De Grace Entries, Jockeys

FIRST RACE—Four and one-half furlongs; purse, $2500; maiden 2-year-olds; special weights.

P.P.	Horse and Jockey	Wgt.	Odds
1	Petee Wren (Ross)	118	12-1
2	†Blind Patch (Jemas)	118	3-1
3	Big Affair (Tammaro)	118	8-1
4	Rappahannock (Clark)	118	6-1
5	†Trance Sleeper (Jemas)	118	3-1
6	Off Islander (no boy)	118	20-1
7	Send Off (Padgett)	113	12-1
8	War Glance (Mann)	113	8-1
9	Irenic (Snellings)	118	5-2
10	Mr. Fleet (De Lara)	118	20-1

†William Helis entry.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs (chute); purse, $2500; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

P.P.	Horse and Jockey	Wgt.	Odds
1	High Sir (Austin)	109	15-1
2	Veteran (Tammaro)	117	6-1
3	Kimberley (Campbell)	117	12-1
4	Baylette (Scott)	119	5-2
5	Miss Menow (Padgett)	114	8-1
6	Bellezza (Buxton)	107	20-1
7	Tenebrose (Bernhardt)	117	6-1
8	Snooks Winters (Dillon)	112	6-1
9	Tap Slightly (C. Kirk)	117	12-1
10	Junior Four (Scott)	119	8-1
11	†Mr. Dee Cee (Buxton)	112	10-1
12	†Wise Step (V. Scocca)	112	10-1
13	Wise Don (Padgett)	116	8-1
14	Traction (V. Scocca)	114	4-1
15	Goldie's Honey (Bauer)	111	4-1
16	Gogal (Howell)	112	20-1

†Routt and Jeweler entry.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs (chute); purse, $2500; maiden 3-year-olds; special weights.

P.P.	Horse and Jockey	Wgt.	Odds
1	Stanley (Claggett)	122	8-1
2	Letty (Bradley)	112	3-1
3	Ceramic (Roberts)	117	20-1
4	Admiral's Call (Mann)	122	3-1
5	Git (Snider)	122	6-1
6	Escort (no boy)	122	10-1
7	Holiday Girl (Walters)	112	4-1
8	Insider (Bauer)	117	20-1
9	Black Tea (no boy)	112	8-1
10	Happy Pat (Combest)	117	10-1
11	Bullcold (Mora)	117	12-1
12	Bramblette (Baouris)	112	6-1
13	Wave Nurse (Buxton)	112	20-1
14	Dixie Sweep (Ramirez)	122	6-1
15	Diva (Snellings)	117	4-1
16	Crazy Whirl (Combest)	112	6-1

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs (chute); purse, $3500; 4-year-olds up; allowances; class D.

P.P.	Horse and Jockey	Wgt.	Odds
1	Trojan Fleet (Padgett)	108	6-1
2	Gypster (Cherry)	116	8-1
3	†Viva Teddy (Buxton)	118	5-2
4	Edemgee (Roberts)	109	4-1
5	Mugwump (no boy)	115	20-1
6	Blustering (Walters)	105	6-1
7	Red Stick (Snellings)	107	4-1
8	Airpan (Clark)	118	20-1
9	Black Gang (Snider)	121	4-1
10	‡Victim (Combest)	107	4-1
11	Tagel (Quattlebaum)	109	6-1
12	‡Jimmie (Buxton)	116	4-1
13	†Goodrob (Buxton)	113	5-2

†Edgehill Stable entry.
‡Talbert and Carruthers entry.

FIFTH RACE—One mile 70 yards; purse, $3500; 3-year-olds; allowances.

P.P.	Horse and Jockey	Wgt.	Odds
1	Upper Level (Walters)	107	8-1
2	Earshot (Jemas)	110	8-5
3	Chanteuse (De Lara)	107	5-2
4	Ariel Song (Padgett)	111	3-1
5	Proposition (Roberts)	112	10-1

SIXTH RACE—One mile 70 yards; purse, $3000; 4-year-olds up; allowances; class D.

P.P.	Horse and Jockey	Wgt.	Odds
1	Cape Cod (no boy)	107	5-2
2	Biscalius (Moon)	112	4-1
3	Geronimo (Cook)	107	8-1
4	Dark Lad (Root)	112	4-1
5	Art Brown (Scawthorn)	112	15-1
6	March Chick (no boy)	113	8-1
7	Houlgate (Clark)	112	10-1
8	Alfios (Padgett)	107	8-1
9	Signal Corps (Baouris)	107	6-1
10	Relious (no boy)	112	12-1
11	Smiling Lass (Scott)	107	10-1
12	Bright Remark (Buxton)	113	15-1
13	Rockwood Argo (Root)	107	20-1
14	One Only (Combest)	119	6-1

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $2500; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

P.P.	Horse and Jockey	Wgt.	Odds
1	Isle De Pine (V. Scocca)	112	4-1
2	Beau's Nurse (Padgett)	114	6-1
3	Value Mark (Covalli)	109	6-1
4	Daisy Chance (W. Kirk)	116	4-1
5	Helen Dear (Buxton)	117	3-1
6	Distant Isle (Dillon)	111	20-1

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $3000; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

P.P.	Horse and Jockey	Wgt.	Odds
1	Sherlock (Snider)	120	4-1
2	Miss Lovable (Austin)	107	10-1
3	Garand (E. Smith)	119	3-1
4	†Maidofthemoon (Snellings)	111	6-1
5	Calcutta (Basile)	116	4-1
6	Exploration (no boy)	113	6-1
7	†Baby Billy (Padgett)	106	6-1
8	Handmedown (Covalli)	110	20-1

†Straus and Goldsborough entry.

HAVRE DE GRACE SELECTIONS

1—William Helis entry, War Glance, Big Affair.
2—Miss Menow, Wise Step, Baylette.
3—LETTY, Crazy Whirl, Happy Pat.
4—Jimmie, Mugwump, Viva Teddy.
5—Ariel Song, Earshot, Proposition.
6—Bright Remark, Alfios, Houlgate.
7—Distant Isle, Isle De Pine, Beau's Nurse.
8—Sherlock, Calcutta, Maidofthemoon.
Louisville Times (AP).

Post Consensus

AT HAVRE DE GRACE
1—Irenic, Helis entry, Rappahannock.
2—Baylette, Snooks Winters, Traction.
3—Admirals Call, Diva, Letty.
4—Viva Teddy, Edemgee, Red Stick.
5—EARSHOT, Ariel Song, Chanteuse.
6—Cape Cod, Biscalius, Bright Remark.
7—Helen Dear, Isle De Pine, Value Mark.
8—Garand, Calcutta, Exploration.

AT JAMAICA
1—HARVEST NIGHT, Bells of Reigh, His Daughter.
2—Jittery Jane, Sewed Up, Epinaze.
3—Alrusha, Afreet, Chance Thread.
4—Miss Drummond, Timore, Liberty Trite.
5—No selections.
6—Stan Tracy, Chance Morn, Escarp.
7—Ronrey, Flight Nurse, Flintee.

Bill Bennings

AT HAVRE DE GRACE
1—Rappahannock, Irenic, Send Off.
2—Traction, Missmenow, Bellezza.
3—Admirals Call, Git, Diva.
4—Red Stick, Viva Teddy, Jimmie.
5—Ariel Song, Earshot, Chanteuse.
6—Alfios, Biscalius, Bright Remark.
7—HELEN DEAR, Beau's Nurse, Value Mark.
8—Calcutta, Baby Billy, Garand.

Narragansett

By the Associated Press

1—¾; $2300; 4-year-olds up; allowances.

Don Listo	113	Never Fret	115
China Lady	115	Miss Flyer	110
Reigh Star	113	Honey Thorn	106
Cald's Best	106	Strolling Don	115
Cloudy Weather	115	Gold Beach	115
Pilot Light	111	Neat Kee	108
Eleventh Hour	108	Easton Miss	106
Pilate's Dream	108	Mokup	112

2—¾; $2500; maiden 2-year-olds.

Siveesl	113	Linwood Blue	118
Peace Pipe	118	Buck Sergeant	118
Range Rate	118	Ellen Valjean	113
Sister O.	113	Kate's Boy	118
Black Tempest	118	Bar Ma Pat	118
Ipso Bound	118	Watch Word	118
Nath	113	Prince Canter	113
Excellence	113	Gallong	118

3—⅝; $2400; maiden 2-year-olds.

Janaan W.	117	Sun Doggie	117
Jaynie R.	117	Simias	117
Sea Crest	117	†Fleet West	117
Walkup	117	Heliotrope	117
†Wise Brunette	117	Creole Babe	117
Ellen's Gift	117	Fond Wish	117
Big Dot	117	Maid of Brand	117
Little Stella	117	Red Corona	117

†Waugh and Richer entry.

4—¾; $2400; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Valdina Mintee	107	Ramsey	114
Kabo Lea	107	Royal Silver	107
Epee	112	Will Moran	113
Algeomar	112	Brave Flag	105
Sunset Boy	112	Arthur J.	120
Lucky Ed	112	Phantom Peggy	111
Sun Talk	110	Mianami	104
Stealthy	105	Czech Lass	107

5—1 1/16; $2500; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Cute Eye	111	Valdivia	112
Hefti Harris	109	Down Stage	113
Teddy's Tea	114	Gray Syngo	112
Taking Ways	103		

6—¾; $3000; 3-year-olds; allowances.

My Willow	105	†Punctual	110
Mel Crosby	105	†Wagon Boss	114
Little Bengy	115	Tree Fly	104
Anvelt	112	Danny J.	120
Pretty Sands	105	†Labouisye	110
Port Said	105	‡Sis Rosie	100
Sandlapper	120	‡Blue Gyp	105
Pooka	105		

†Shamrock Stable and M. Wexler entry.
‡Marilyn Stable entry.

7—¾; $3000; 4-year-olds up; allowances.

War Page	110	Court Ace	115
†For Granted	105	Post War Style	109
Jo Agnes	110	Granlag	117
Harpsichord	110	Marksman	112
F. B. Eye	114	†Brilliant Fly	112
Four Queens	105	Link	110
Valdina Craft	120	Son Admiral	110
Ring Curtain	102	Ogma	110

†Mrs. C. J. Gable and Mrs. R. D. Wiser entry.

8—1 1/16; $2300; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Clarie Whiss	105	Bare Cupboard	107
Snazy	107	Enid O.	107
Spalpeen	115	Sunspark	107
Pharfox	108	Rock Time	112
Abbot's Maid	105		

1—¾; $2400; maiden 4-year-olds up.
Soapsuds, 116 (Pratt) 7.40 4.00 3.20
Roman Abbot, 113 (Licausi) 5.50 3.40
Transvaal II, 118 (Canning) 5.00
Lucky Irish, Aunt Patsy, Night Colleen, Coralie, Valdina Irene, Red Figure, Coppersmith, Highland Miss, Stroala.

2—¾; $2300; 4-year-olds up; allowances.
La Reinette, 110 (Licausi) 6.20 3.80 3.00
Tidy Meen, 103 (R.Martin) 10.80 7.80
Flaming High, 112 (Allgaier) 5.60
Wellmaid, Devon Cream, New Dealer, Nellie Mowlee, Reeves, Stevedore, Saratoga Polly, Judfry, Pacific Maid.

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3—½; $2500; maiden 2-year-olds.
Double Joy, 118 (Maschek) 4.60 3.00 2.40
Gemsbok, 118 (Lynch) 3.00 2.20
Noble Cyclops, 118 (Strange) 2.80
Mac Stepen, Dispelled, Carol Street, Halcyon Air, Enak, Risking All.

4—¾; $2500; 3-year-olds; claiming.
Rex O'Sullivan, 110 (M'ek) $3.40 $1.80 11.80
Unequaled, 103 (R.Martin) 7.60 5.40
Pure Silk, 108 (Lynch) 5.00
Prince Favor, Flash A Tan, Green Garden, Jolly Boy, Forget-Me-Not, Pana Tapper.

5—¾; $2500; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
Charter Member, 113 (Snyder) 7.40 4.00 3.00
Sangeme, 111 (Allgaier) 5.40 3.40
Madame Mamie, 103 (R.Martin) 2.80
Pistol Pete, Freeboy, Bit o' Bud, Soulful, Glenwood Boy, Burgoo Lady, Devils Bit, Sweet Fait.

6—1 1/16; $3500; 4-year-olds up; allowances.
Stickley, 118 (Keiper) 13.80 5.00 3.40
Nance's Ace, 110 (R.Martin) 3.80 3.00
Chain Miss, 110 (Slate) 4.00
Well Repaid, Innate, Singular, Dansation, Our Victory, Blue Whistler, Y Gun, Hero Mine, Huntsman.

7—1 1/16; $2500; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
Bobtown, 109 (Licausi) 4.20 3.00 2.40
Peggy Silver, 110 (Oliver) 3.00 2.40
Gunflash, 105 (R.Martin) 2.60
Nervesta, Sweet Spice, Her Reply, Darby Donna.

8—1 1/16; $2300; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
Cee Haf, 111 (Strange) 6.00 3.20 2.80
Slappy, 111 (Zehr) 4.20 3.20
Sunny Betty, 103 (R.Martin) 4.60
Multi Quest, Toy Top, Mint Witch, Yaf, Musical Mood, Scotch Bread, Bold Skipper, Ledgemont, Peace Flag.

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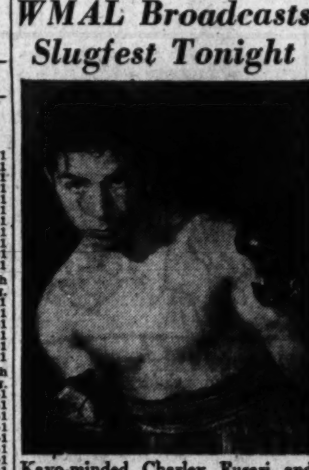

Kayo-minded Charley Fusari and Mexico's firebrand, Humberto Zavala (above) headline the fistic menu in New York tonight. Popular Bill Corum and fast-talking Don Dunphy will report this ten-round welter attraction over the ABC network.

Fusari, New Jersey's newest bid for high welter honors, has an unbeaten record of 40 fights, with 27 knockouts. A straight, stand-up fighter, the Jerseyite has devastating dynamite in both mitts. He also boxes skillfully.

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Italy's Premier Charges Reds Foment Strife

Rome, April 25 (U.P.).—Political tension increased today following a vitriolic anti-Communist speech last night by Prime Minister Dr. Alcide de Gasperi, who charged that a foreign country was supplying Italian Reds with arms.

Speaking to his Christian Democratic Party delegates, De Gasperi said that "Red squads" had murdered seven of his party members since February and 1,500,000 Christian Democrats were ready to fight "if the state is unable to protect us."

De Gasperi was cheered when he dropped his political impartiality for the first time since he became head of the coalition government last December, and flayed "foreign Communists" for unloading guns and ammunition on Italy's eastern coast.

"From where do arms arrive that are being unloaded at Chioggia and Bari?" he asked.

"From Russia," an enthusiast shouted from the audience.

"No, not from Russia. Russia is too far away," De Gasperi said.

Chioggia and Bari are ports on the Adriatic Sea, opposite the Yugoslav coast.

Veteran Uses His Mother as Shield, Fires at Police

Jersey City, N. J., April 25 (AP).—A discharged war veteran who had been released from a mental institution was over-powered by police today after firing two shots at them while using his mother as a shield, Police Lieut. John Murphy said.

Murphy identified the veteran as Edward Butler, 25. He said Butler held his mother, Mrs. Grace Butler, 58, in front of him while firing at the officers, who were taking Butler into custody for commitment to a mental institution.

The shots missed their mark when Mrs. Butler tugged at her son's coat collar, one striking the leather puttee of Patrolman Ernest Behling and the other going into the ground.

Police said Butler was discharged from the army after serving eight months with the Air Forces at Bolling Field, Washington.

Howard U. Professor Heads Schools Group

Election of Dr. Alain Leroy Locke, professor of philosophy at Howard University, as president of the American Association for Adult Education was announced yesterday.

Formerly a member of the association's executive council and vice president, Dr. Locke was elevated to the presidency in elections held at a four-day conference of 600 delegates in Detroit.

Europe Almost Clear of Units To Go Home

Frankfurt, Germany, April 25 (AP). U. S. Army headquarters said today the European theater has been virtually cleared of military units marked for redeployment to the United States.

From now on, nearly all soldiers heading home will be shipped as "casuals."

No troops sailed from Europe within the last 24 hours. However, with occupational troop strength still nearly 100,000 above the 300,000 limit set for June 30, redeployment shipments are expected to continue at the rate of nearly 30,000 a month until then.

The names of the following were telegraphed directly to The Washington Post by the Associated Press. There is no assurance that the list is correct, because it was compiled in Europe and at Pacific bases previous to embarkation, but officials said that the margin of error is slight. Relatives should not contact the port or The Washington Post for further information.

On the Sea Porpoise

New York, April 24.—The Sea Porpoise, due today, has aboard:

WASHINGTON

Phelan, Maj. William J.
Wertlieb, T/Sergt. Norman N.
Pennington, T/4 Carroll M.
Kadish, T/5 Phineas.
Vassallo, Pfc. Bartolomeo J.
Hyman, Pfc. Benjamin J.
Bollenbacher, S/Sergt. John C.
Young, Pfc. Edwin D.

VIRGINIA

Atkinson, T/4 Clyde D., Richmond.
Cox, T/5 George H., Alexandria.
Osinger, S/Sergt. Clarence W., Gate City.
Thomas, Pfc. William J., South Boston.
Thompson, T/Sergt. William S., Shipman.
Turner, S/Sergt. George, jr., St. Charles.
Vaughan, T/4 Taylor G., jr., Galax.
Ferguson, T/3 Richard H., Richmond.
Jones, T/5 William E., Lynchburg.
Blankenship, Pfc. Marvin L., Narrows.
Taylor, Pfc. Charles D., Broad Ford.
Gillespie, Pvt. Jack M., Chilhowie.
Sarver, Pvt. Donald E., New Castle.
Goode, T/3 Carrington P., Richmond.
Sheets, T/4 Richard L., Broadway.
Deans, Corpl. Aubrey D., Portsmouth.
Turner, Pfc. William E., sr., Roanoke.
Speer, T/5 Harold C., Gundy.
Price, S/Sergt. Raymond M., Pamplin.
Beck, S/Sergt. Charlie A., Keysville.
Falls, Pfc. James E., Forest.
Williams, Pfc. Alvin M., Pembroke.
Jones, Pvt. Wesley B., Marion.
Graham, S/Sergt. Cleo C., Floyd.
Testerman, S/Sergt. Roy C., Marion.
Fitzgerald, Pfc. Peyton, Spottswood.
Decker, Pfc. Bobbie L., Danville.
Wright, T/5 Rena E., Madison.
Meadows, Pfc. Wallace E., Deskins.

MARYLAND

Simmons, T/4 Lucas C., Cambridge.
Meers, T/5 Charles M., Westminster.
Marsteller, S/Sergt. Donald F., Glenburnie.
Webster, T/4 Lester D., Salisbury.
Thomas, Pfc. Vincent P., Berwyn.
Norman, Col. Charles J., Silver Spring.
Graf, First Lieut. Donald M., Manchester.
Schubel, S/Sergt. John J., Irvington.
Sanborn, Pfc. Henry N., Silver Spring.
Strojny, Bruno L., Hyattsville.
Myers, T/4 George, Ellerslie.

San Francisco, April 24.—Arrivals aboard the David Shanks, due April 27, are:

VIRGINIA

Howard, Lieut. Col. Walter B., Cameron.

New York, April 25.—Arrivals aboard the Frostburg Victory here today were scheduled to include:

WASHINGTON

Smallwood, Pfc. James H.
Vitale, Pvt. Bernard.
Wertlie, T/Sergt. Norman N.
Gordon, Pfc. Hankley.
Peaks, Pvt. Willis.
Peters, Pvt. Robert.

Mouson, S/Sergt. Ralph L.
Lundstrom, S/Sergt. John B.

MARYLAND

Malone, Pfc. Ralph W., Bethesda.
Miller, Pfc. William F., Seat Pleasant.

VIRGINIA

Thomas, Pvt. Alvin M., Richmond.
Gillespie, Pvt. Jack M., Chilhowie.
Britt, T/5 James, Frankly.
Crite, T/5 James H., Norfolk.
Minor, Pvt. Leslie, Norfolk.
Mitchell, Pvt. Robert, Norfolk.
Aughn, T/4 Taylor, Galax.
Bodenhaver, Pfc. William C., Portsmouth.
Newsome, T/4 Norton D., Hampton.
Painter, Pfc. Ray H., Waynesboro.
Ermininy, Pfc. Diamond E., Richard.
Holdren, Pfc. John W., Alta Vista.
Gets, T/4 Milton A., Luray.

DON WINSLOW

U. S. Doubles Bid for Linseed, But Argentina Demands More

Buenos Aires, April 25 (U.P.).—The United States Government has offered to more than double the present contract price paid for Argentine linseed, but officials are holding out for more, trade circles reported today. A Soviet commercial mission also was seeking linseed.

W. H. Jasspon of the United States Commodity Credit Corporation was reported to have bid up the open market price of 45 pesos per 100 kilograms, from the contract price of 22 pesos.

Besides demanding a higher price, it was understood that the Argentines were demanding that they be allowed to crush the linseed here instead of exporting it in bulk.

The Soviet commercial mission was received today by Secretary of Commerce and Industry Col. Joaquin Sauri. The members were accompanied by Mathus Hoyos, director of the institute of economic investigations of the official Banco de la Nacion. After the meeting, Colonel Sauri said they had discussed "general economic subjects."

Two Soviet tankers, the Azerbaijan and the Sakhalin, which arrived early in March, were still in port waiting to load linseed oil.

The head of the Soviet mission has threatened to sue an Argentine exporting company for about $250,000, alleging that it was responsible for the delay in loading the tankers.

RACES TODAY
HAVRE DE GRACE
Eight Races Daily

Special Penna. train leaves 12:20 p.m., direct to track. Arrives Havre de Grace 1:40 p.m. Special B. & O. train leaves 11:40 a.m. (has diner). Returning train leaves Greenway Lane, Havre de Grace, 6:05 p.m. for Washington.

First Race — 2:15 P. M.

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Nelson B. Bell About the Showshops

That Ghostly Patter Is 'Ziggy' Applauding Movies' New 'Follies'

IT IS SUMPTUOUS entertainment that is provided in "The Ziegfeld Follies," now on kaleidoscopic view at Loew's Palace.

In perhaps the most pretentious revue the screen has seen, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer has captured the "old master's" creed with conspicuous success. Ziegfeld always was a stickler for beauty, color and lush magnificence. Beauty, both living and material, is on display in such lush magnificence as even to out-Ziegfeld Ziegfeld, and Technicolor at its best sees to the riot of color.

Judy Garland

With no attempt at plot or story form, the revue unrolls 12 unrelated interludes of sing, dance, spectacle and comedy, with here and there a touch of satire. The songs, in the main, are admirably suited to their purposes and the dancing is superlative. If the overlong panorama tends to sag a bit now and then, it is attributable to the ancient vintage of some of the comic skits allotted to stars whose talents are worthy of fresher material.

Beauty Bountiful

However individual taste may appraise the various integrals of the melange, the spectator will find himself caught up in a rainbow swirl from the time the departed producer decrees another revue from his celestial apartment until Kathryn Grayson brings the picture to a spectacular close to the measures of "There's Beauty Everywhere." There sure is!

In between, Esther Williams will be seen in a "Water Ballet" of unapproachable grace; Keenan Wynn does nobly in resuscitating the time-honored telephone bit, "Number, Please;" Victor Moore and Edward Arnold do their best to breathe new life into another hoary sketch, "Pay the Two Dollars;" Fanny Brice, assisted by Hume Cronyn and William Frawley, makes "A Sweepstakes Ticket" freshly hilarious, and Red Skelton repeats his always convulsing television preview, "The Guzzler's Gin Hour."

Punctuating these salutes to the god of laughter are James Melton operatic scene from "Traviata;" and Marion Bell in a gorgeous "Love," as melodiously interpreted by Lena Horne; an "Interview" with a "great lady," in which Judy Garland betrays a superb sense of satire in song with a proficient male ensemble, the whole interlarded by stunning interpolations by a phalanx of "Ziegfeld Girls."

Asterisk for Astaire

If the "Follies" has any single star whose contributions transcend all the others, it is Fred Astaire, who appears three times to most of the others' once.

With Lucille Bremer as partner—and as nearly perfect a one as he has ever had—Astaire carries the major weight of two incomparable dramatic pantomimes in "This Heart of Mine" and a picturesque elaboration of "Limehouse Blues," first introduced by Gertrude Lawrence in the "Charlot Revue" of 1924. The song is sung by Harriet Lee as background for the terpsichorean tragedy.

In wholly different mood is the amusing "The Babbit and the Bromide," sung and danced by Astaire and Gene Kelly. Two contrasting styles and temperaments never have been more skillfully blended.

The Old 'Touch'

Over all of this hovers the aura of Vincente Minnelli's imaginative artistry as a director. It is perhaps due to him more than anyone else that the "Follies" is so surprisingly rich in what used to be known as the "Ziegfeld touch," before that distinction was preempted by Ernst Lubitsch.

He has even contrived a uniquely effective treatment of "Bring on the Wonderful Men," one of the revue's humorous early highlights as sung by that high priestess of deadpan eloquence, Virginia O'Brien.

No one concerned with this far-flung business, from Producer Arthur Freed down, but did a masterful job. The result may not be perfection, but it comes close enough.

The extravagant length of the feature limits the supplementary attractions to "Springtime for Thomas," a cartoon comedy, and "News of the Day."

Miss Mary Bulkley, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leavitt James Bulkley of Grosse Pointe, Mich., have announced her engagement to Lieut. Comdr. William Wallace Wotherspoon, USNR, son of Capt. Alexander S. Wotherspoon, USN, and Mrs. Wotherspoon of Washington

Show Time in the Downtown Theaters

STAGE

National—"The Two Mrs. Carrolls," at 8:30 p. m.

Gayety—Burlesque from 11:30 to 5 p. m. and 8:30 p. m.

SCREEN

Earle—"The Bandit of Sherwood Forest," at 11 a. m., 1:20, 3:30, 5:40, 7:45 and 9:55 p. m.

Capitol—"Whistle Stop," at 11 a. m., 1:45, 4:30, 7:15 and 10 p. m. Stage shows at 1:05, 3:50, 6:35 and 9:20 p. m.

RKO-Keith's—"The Spiral Staircase," at 11 a. m., 12:45, 2:35, 4:25, 6:15, 8:05 and 9:50 p. m.

Palace—"Ziegfeld Follies," at 10:30 a. m., 12:40, 2:55, 5:10, 7:25 and 9:40 p. m.

Metropolitan—"Saratoga Trunk," at 10:35 a. m., 1:15, 4:05 and 9:35 p. m.

Columbia—"Hoodlum Saint," at 11:25 a. m., 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30 and 9:35 p. m.

Little—"The Prisoner of Zenda," at 11:20 a. m., 1:20, 3:20, 5:25, 7:30 and 9:35 p. m.

Pix—"Tornado," at 2:10, 5:20 and 8:30 p. m. "Barbara Coast," at 3:40, 6:50 and 10 p. m.

Ambassador—"The Bandit of Sherwood Forest," at 1:30, 3:35, 5:35, 7:35 and 9:45 p. m.

Hippodrome—"Arsenic and Old Lace," at 2:35, 6:20 and 10 p. m. "Bizarre-Bizarre," at 4:30 and 8:20 p. m.

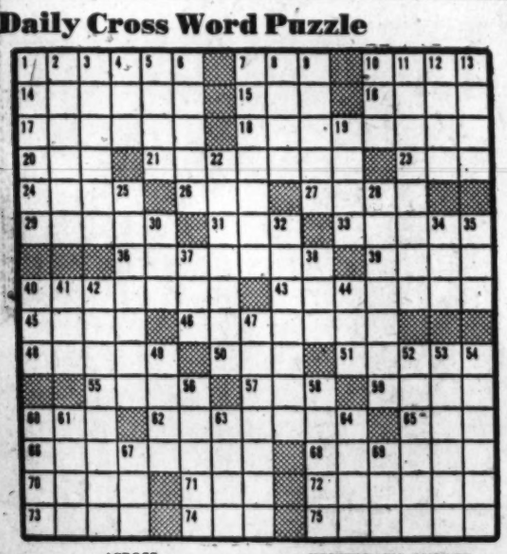
Trans-Lux—Short subjects and newsreels continuously from 10:15 a. m. to midnight.

Group to Survey Possible Roosevelt Memorial Park

Ottawa, April 24 (AP).—Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King has announced a joint Canadian-United States committee would begin an investigation May 20 into the possibility of establishing an international park in the vicinity of the Thousand Island's Bridge as a memorial to the late President Roosevelt.

The committee will include representatives of the Department of the Interior and the Canadian Mines and Resources Department.

Daily Cross Word Puzzle



ACROSS

1 Squadron
4 Turkish title of respect
10 Bungle
14 Prickly herb
16 Trimmer for roofing slates
16 Go off stage
17 Narrow ribbon for a bookmark
18 Suited for cooking
20 A deathly pallor
21 Made plain
23 To compound
24 Cap covering sides of the head
26 Burmese demon
27 Retard
29 Death signal
31 To plash
33 Light two-wheeled carriage
36 Unsubstantial

DOWN

1 Offense
2 Right thinking
3 Golf club
4 Quadruped
6 Ruminant
6 Jager gull
7 Austere
8 Frenchman
9 Spindled
10 Chess pieces
11 Illustrations
12 Hotel
13 Fabled river of Hades
19 Hero in Greek legend
39 Effete
40 Little people
43 Return to
45 Shoal
46 Popular
48 Veered off
50 Sun
51 World of land and sea
55 An old mine working: Cornish
57 Emblem of dawn
59 Italian coin
60 Armpit
62 Presume
65 Leguminous plant
66 Thin people
68 That which is retained
70 Bore utterly
71 Procure
72 Flat shoe for a mule
73 Armhole for attaching a sleeve
74 American economist
75 Merciless in attack

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

22 Traveling bags
23 A gewgaw
28 Melodious
30 Hawaiian headdress
32 Plighted faiths
34 Long-tailed ape
35 Eventually
37 Inflamed
38 Obstacle
40 Peer curiously
41 Certainty
42 Cheap showiness
44 Competes
47 Unpretentiousness
49 Set into a groove
52 Brings to perfection
53 Encroach
54 Abounding with underbrush
56 Bind fishhook or line with wire
58 Deflects
59 Human ingenuities
61 Secular
63 Flanged spool
64 Shout
67 Insect
69 Chinese pagoda

LEONARD LYONS

Broadway Potpourri

New York, April 25.—Lieut. Comdr. Peter Scott, D. S. O., O. B. E., English bird-painter, author of "Bird Chorus" and "Morning Flight," son of the South Pole explorer, was the original after whom Paul Gallico patterned his hero in the war novel, "The Snow Goose." Scott owned a lighthouse and bird sanctuary. Gallico saw him last in 1938 . . .

Paul Gallico

Paul and Pauline Gallico now are preparing the screen version of "The Snow Goose" for production by Gabriel Pascal in England. Last week, in writing the lighthouse scene, the Gallicos needed some information and phoned Scott in England. The operator reported that Scott was in N. Y. They found him at the Harlow Gallery, where he is having an exhibition of his paintings.

Scott is doing the illustrations for the English edition of "The Snow Goose." He showed Gallico some sketches he had made, particularly one of "Fritha," the Saxon fisherwoman who is the leading lady in the novel. The model Scott had selected for "Fritha" was a Canadian GI bride he had met on the Aquitania . . . Gallico looked at the paintings on view at the gallery. He glanced at one portrait, and said: "That's the one. That's Fritha" . . . The artist and hero of the novel told the author: "That's Jane Howard, my wife" . . . Gallico cabled to Pascal in London, and now is awaiting word on the decision of whether the actress-wife of the real hero of "The Snow Goose" will get the role of his beloved in the movie version of his story.

When Jim Farley visited Ireland during his recent trip to Europe, he went to Navan, where his forebears were born. All the officials of this town in County Meath attended a dinner in his honor. . . . At this dinner the Mayor of Navan introduced each of the many officials by calling upon them. Those who could make a speech did so. But the nonspeechmakers raised their voices too. For whoever couldn't make a speech, sang.

President Truman will be at Fordham on May 11, to receive an honorary doctor of laws degree . . . A group of nationally known business leaders will take newspaper ads throughout the country and, as 'Businessmen for OPA," urge the continuance of price control . . . "They Fly Through the Air," a radio play by Col. Hans C. Adamson, has won the Harper Award as one of the 10 best plays of the radio season. Colonel Adamson is the Air Force author who was on the raft with Eddie Rickenbacker . . . A front-page figure is the purchaser of Mike Jacobs' home in New Jersey . . . This column's newest outlet is the Nashville (Tenn.) Banner.

George Jean Nathan watched a group of high-salaried columnists and editors in the Cub Room of the Stork Club, and the sight drove him to reminisce. He told of his arrival in New York for his first newspaper job, on the Herald. Fred Ackerman, who was the first man over the Great Wall of China, called the cub reporter to his desk and offered advice. "Always remember this," he told Nathan. "In our profession there's Us and the Soubrettes."

Wilson Wyatt will try to ease the housing problem for veterans by an advertising campaign in transportation vehicles throughout the country next month, using as his slogan: "Help the land of the free make homes for the brave." . . . Cap Krug, the Secretary of the Interior, is joining the American Veterans Committee this week. . . . The State of Nevada offered him, in vain, to put up the money to preserve the battleship Nevada as a historic museum at Annapolis. But the ship will be one of the vessels subjected to the atomic bomb tests at Bikini. . . . Capt. Red Jeager, who was executive officer aboard the ship which fought at Scapa Flow, was sunk at Pearl Harbor and came back to participate in the invasions of Normandy, southern France, Iwo Jima and Okinawa, was asked whether he had removed any final souvenirs. "No, and there's no need to," he replied. "The Nevada? They'll never be able to sink her."

One of the patrons at Toots Shor's has been offering suggestions ever since the restaurant was opened. He comments upon the size of the portions which should be served, about the way the napkins should be folded and the ice-water brought, about the seatings at the tables and the stations of the waiters, etc., etc. . . . Last week Mr. Shor visited the man's office on W. 57th st. and started ransacking the files, opening cabinet drawers, rearranging pictures, etc. "What are you doing?" shouted the business man . . . "You've been telling me how to run MY business," said Toots. "So now I'll tell you how to run yours."

Luis Quintanilla, the Basque artist and author of the new book of drawings, "Franco's Black Spain," was asked if it is a political book. "No. Just reality pictures of what has happened in Spain," said Quintanilla, who then pointed to reproductions of paintings by Churchill and Hitler, and said: "I am not yet such a bad artist that I need to devote myself to politics." . . . Leo C. Rosten has finished a new novel, "Sleep, My Love."

Sidney Freeman, who once conducted the Irish Sweepstakes, will leave New York soon for his house at Cannes. Freeman has many friends in the Riviera. One of them is a parish priest against whose church a $3000 court judgment had been awarded. . . . Freeman learned of this and before any attachment could be made against the church property he produced the $3000. "This is from your parishioners," he told the priest. . . . "They contributed all this money?" the priest asked him. . . . "Well, sort of," explained the man who ran the million-dollar Irish Sweepstakes. "I organized a little raffle here and this," he said, delivering the $3000, "is the profit."

Use Warm Iron

When ironing sheer rayon curtains, use a warm iron. The curtains will hang remarkably well without stretching if the inside of the panel is ironed first; then the hems on all sides.

The Gentler Sex

By Malvina Lindsay

Women Take the Plunge

TWO CHERISHED theories about women are being upset in the 1946 election. One is that they won't take political chances because they are poor losers. The other is that they are more conservative politically than men.

All but a few of the women seeking seats in Congress are facing hard fights either in the primaries or the election. Prospects for some are almost hopeless, as they compete with opponents backed by political machines or financial interests. With few exceptions they are women without wealth, and it costs from $5000 to $10,000 to campaign for an important office. Most of the 19 who are in the race to date are campaigning on shoestrings.

Of these the great majority are allied with the liberal wings of their parties. Most, if not all, of the new women candidates for Congress are "dirtying their skirts in politics" as a public duty. Some are aroused over the way things are going in Government and have decided to do something about the complacency of their parties or the mossbackism of the officeholders they are challenging. These are women mostly who have long worked for better government through the indirect approach—clubs, study classes, mass meetings, forums, letter writing to Congress. Now they feel the time has come for direct action.

THIS FEELING has extended from the congressional race to the women running for State offices and even for school boards. Typical example is Mrs. Minier Hostetler, first woman to try for a Typical example is Mrs. Minier Hostetler, first woman from Montgomery County to try for a seat in the Maryland State Senate. Long active in civic affairs, social welfare movements, and the League of Women Voters, of which she is a former State president, Mrs. Hostetler reached the breaking point on roundabout action over the issues of home rule for her county and appropriations for its welfare and educational programs. She decided to buck the powerful political organization of her county in pursuit of a direct voice in the State Legislature.

Mrs. Hostetler

Many graduates of the indirect action school of politics want seats in Congress. Judge Sarah T. Hughes of Dallas, Tex., in pursuit of her duties as chairman of the committee on education and legal status of women of the American Association of University Women, has long been enjoining her sisters to be active politically. Now she has entered the Democratic primary to seek the seat of Representative Hatton Summers, who is retiring.

Mrs. Olive Remington Goldman of Urbana, Ill., worked in the League of Women Voters, and was international relations chairman of her local branch of the A.A.U.W. Now she is the Democratic candidate for Congress from her district. Mrs. Marcella Killen of Minneapolis spoke, edited and wrote for the Minnesota League of Women Voters and helped in many public movements, but as she Republican primary for nomination to Congress. puts it, "got tired of being futile in politics." She has filed in her

IN ALAMEDA, CALIF., Mrs. Ruth W. Kingman gave the Democratic organization the surprise of its life when she entered the Democratic primary for Congress. She has long been a leader in liberal movements, and during the war fought for the fair treatment of evacuated persons of Japanese origin. In Massachusetts, Maj. Catherine Falvey of Somerville, who is soon to finish her service as a Wac, who is a practicing lawyer and a political liberal, stepped out to run with nine men for the seat in Congress to be vacated by Representative James M. Curley.

Maj. C. Falvey

Mrs. Elizabeth P. Jordan of Pittsburgh, Pa., founded two community civic clubs and worked with the League of Women Voters to stimulate interest in international affairs. Now she wants a direct voice in the deliberations of the United States Senate. She is campaigning for the nomination against former Gov. Edward Martin. Mrs. Polly Rose Balfe, a Democrat, is seeking a nomination for the Senate from Florida. Mrs. Jennie O'Hern, railroad telegrapher of Wakpala, S. Dak., former Democratic National Committeewoman, is seeking the Governorship of her State.

At least three of the eight women up for reelection to the House of Representatives have stiff fights on their hands. Emily Taft Douglas, has the Democratic nomination to return as Congressman at large, but must stump the State against campaigners for her Republican opponent, a naval officer still overseas, who has the backing of the isolationist Chicago Tribune. Helen Gahagan Douglas of California and Helen Douglas Mankin of Georgia must win their spurs in hard-fought primaries.

STRANGELY, this bold political plunge from new women candidates who have been leaders in their communities has come in the midst of a general lament about American women's skittishness over running for office. Recently women's groups have been conferring and appointing committees to do something about this. There was a general feeling that the more capable American women were cowardly about political combat, that they couldn't stand up to campaign criticism, accusations, ridicule, rumor mongering. Since 1916, it was pointed out, only 40 women had been elected to the American Congress. Yet now the French Constitutional Assembly had 33 women, the Japanese Diet 38, the British House of Commons, 23.

Josephus Daniels in 1944, addressing the General Federation of Women's Clubs of North Carolina, reproached women for coyly waiting to be courted politically. "Too long have you stood shivering on the brink," he admonished. "Jump in and swim." Win or lose, a lot of women of the type badly needed in public office are now at least desperately swimming.

It's About Time

IT'S ABOUT TIME to make this lovely bridal headdress from a rectangular piece of heirloom lace. Fasten the center of one long side to a head-clip. This holds veil in place. The valuable lace does not have to be cut for this. D. B.

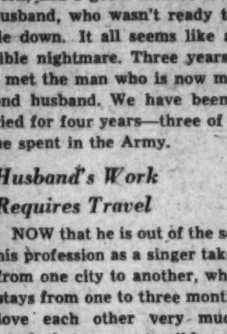
Britain Demands Poles Hold Election

London, April 26 (U.P.).—The British government, acting in accord with the United States, has demanded that Poland set a date for the "free and unfettered" elections guaranteed at Potsdam and Yalta, a foreign office spokesman announced today.

(In Washington, it was announced that the United States had extended a ninty million dollar credit to Poland. Among the clauses in the agreement are a Polish pledge to hold free national elections this year.)

"That settles it, Maw. This feud has gone too far!"

Count on Paw to preserve the Wheaties. Uncle Sam asks us not to waste food—especially wheat. And Wheaties eaters *automatically* comply. No waste in making Wheaties—flakes of *100% whole wheat*. No waste in eating Wheaties—once you sample that nut-sweet flavor.



Mary Haworth's Mail

Is It Terribly Wrong, Young Mother Asks, To Put Daughter, 7, in Boarding School, So That She May Travel With Her Husband?

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: I was married at the age of 17, principally as a result of nagging, threats and all kinds of abuse from my father, who never wanted to support his children, but who on the other hand couldn't stand to see them happier somewhere else—at work or living with relatives.

When I was 18, my daughter was born, and I got a divorce from my husband, who wasn't ready to settle down. It all seems like a horrible nightmare. Three years later I met the man who is now my second husband. We have been married for four years—three of which he spent in the Army.

Husband's Work Requires Travel

NOW that he is out of the service, his profession as a singer takes him from one city to another, where he stays from one to three months. We love each other very much,—so much that we are terribly unhappy when apart, and more so as time goes on. We both love my daughter very much and he is very good to her.

I have recently undergone my third major operation and I have no family or friends nearby. I feel that I cannot bear any more unhappiness; and I am happy in my husband's company. Would it be terribly wrong to place my little girl in a good boarding school for a while and travel with my husband,—until I am better and we can get settled somewhere? Please answer soon. M. W.

A Good Idea, Guiltily Held

DEAR M. W.: In asking if it would be "terribly wrong" to place your daughter in a good boarding school, you unconsciously proclaim a strong sense of guilt for entertaining the idea—as if you felt it would amount to rejecting her in favor of your husband. And in my opinion, the first thing to do in behalf of your joint welfare—yours and hers—is to clear up that deeply disturbing viewpoint.

Your three major operations, while unnerving in themselves, are probably the net result of longtime severe psychological distress. And with you so distrait, due to one thing and another, and frantically wanting your husband's company as sanctuary against fear, certainly you are in no position or condition to be a beneficial associate to her at present, at daily close range.

In all probability, she is feeling the scourge of your desperate tensions; suffering greatly (if quietly) from helpless exposure to your anxiety manifestations. Thus to be transplanted into a pleasant, wisely supervised boarding school—to an environment deliberately contrived to be wholesome for children,—might be more of a boon to her, all things considered, than a supposedly selfish service to yourself in the circumstances.

Child Needs Reassurance

IN MY opinion, the idea has merit. Boarding school for a child as young as she is never an entirely comfortable experience. But in this case, it should do more for your daughter than you can do in your present state; and is preferable, I think, to dragging her about the country in the wake of your musician husband.

If there is a possibility of the arrangement doing more unseen damage than visible good for your daughter, it would consist in her carrying to boarding school a deep-seated, unspoken, worry-complex about you; or an equally potent, silent conviction that you are trying to get rid of her. If you can relieve her mind on these points—and also feel spiritually at ease yourself about this emergency course of action,—she should do resonably well at school, even if she is tremulous and unhappy to start. M. H.

Mary Haworth counsels through her column, not by mail or personal interview. Write her in care of The Post.

Air Forces Given Too Many Medals, Publication Says

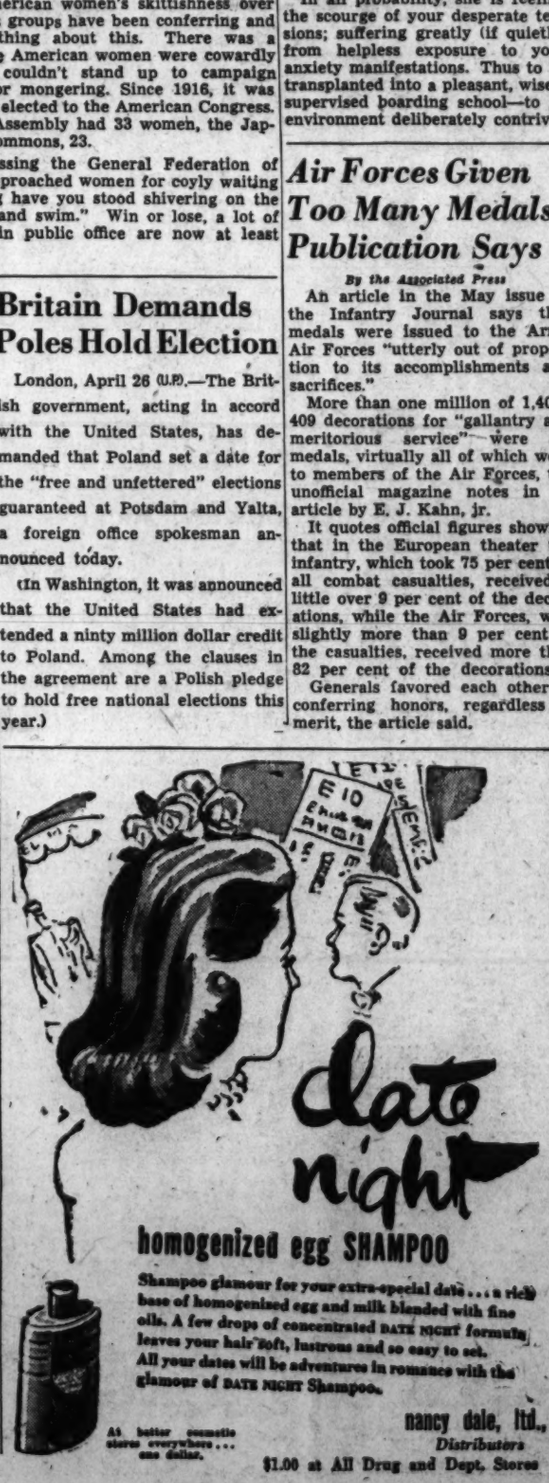
By the Associated Press

An article in the May issue of the Infantry Journal says that medals were issued to the Army Air Forces "utterly out of proportion to its accomplishments and sacrifices."

More than one million of 1,400,409 decorations for "gallantry and meritorious service" were air medals, virtually all of which went to members of the Air Forces, the unofficial magazine notes in an article by E. J. Kahn, jr.

It quotes official figures showing that in the European theater the infantry, which took 75 per cent of all combat casualties, received a little over 9 per cent of the decorations, while the Air Forces, with slightly more than 9 per cent of the casualties, received more than 82 per cent of the decorations.

Generals favored each other in conferring honors, regardless of merit, the article said.



Be SMART

DEMURELY FLIRTATIOUS, new and becoming are the boat necks for teensters. For further accent, turn to self ruffles or eyelet embroidered edging. Black cotton highlighted up with white or a touch of bright pastel is a high favorite for informal partying. Of course, there's fullness in the skirts—usually from low waistlines, with bodices that are boned, and topped with short puff sleeves.

Amazing New Antiseptic Deodorant Actually Checks Perspiration Yet is Safe for Skin!

DOES NOT ROT CLOTHES . . .

Because of *Duratex*, New Safety Ingredient Found Only in VETO!

Veto—Colgate's cream deodorant—is different from *any* deodorant you've ever used before! Because it contains *Duratex*, an *exclusive* new safety ingredient—Veto *does not rot clothes!* Veto is *safe* for any normal skin! Veto stays moist in jar, spreads and rubs in easily—is *easier* to use! Regular use stops odor, checks perspiration—*safely!* 10¢, and larger sizes. Drug and cosmetic counters

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Today's Radio Programs

THE WASHINGTON POST
Friday, April 26, 1946

FRIDAY — WASHINGTON — E.S.T.

	WMAL 630	WRC 980	WOL 1260	WINX 1340	WWDC 1450	WTOP 1500
	News, 6, 7, 8:30, Prelude, 6:05-7. David Wills, 7:45. Town Clock (Trafton Robertson), 7:10-9.	WRC Almanac, 5:30. News; 6, 7, 7:30, 8, 8:30. Bill Herson, 6:05-9. Weather, 6:30.	Musical Clock, 6-8. News, 8. Musical Clock, 8:15. The Paiges, 8:30.	Jerry Strong, Wake Up With Winx, 6:05-9. News, 6, 7, 8.	Hunnicutt, 6-9. Devotions, 6:45. News, 6:30, 7, 7:30, 8:15	Corn Squeezin' Time, 5:30. News, 6:45, 7, 7:30, 8. Mahoney, 7:40. Arthur Godfrey, 7-9.
9	:00 Breakfast Club :15 (Don McNeil) :30 (Jack Owen) :45 (Nancy Martin)	Honeymoon in New York News; Melodies Broadway Melodies	Frazier Hunt Musical Clock Spice of Life (Marion Sexton)	News; Music in the Air Music in the Air Morning Melodies	Magic Quiz Tune Shop (Willis Conover)	News; Godfrey Arthur Godfrey Home Service Daily
10	:00 My True Story :15 , News :30 Church Hymns :45 Listening Post	Lona Journey Lora Lawton Road of Life Joyce Jordan	Once Over Lightly Faith in Our Time Musical Comedy Gems Tommy Johnson Plays	News; Music Hall Music Hall	Open House	Valiant Lady Light of the World Evelyn Winters Bachelors' Children
11	:00 Breakfast With :15 Brenneman :30 Ruth Crane :45	Fred Waring Barry Cameron David Harum	News; Cecil Brown Elsa Maxwell Take It Easy Time Victor Lindlahr	News; Symphony Symphony No. 4!	Blessed Eventer Crosby Time Tuffy Topics Pin-Up Tunes	Amanda LaGuardia (Food Crisis) Aunt Jenny
12	:00 News; Evans :15 Ted Malone :30 Glamour Manor :45 (Cliff Arquette)	News; Improvisations Look to This Day Matinee Today	Lyle Van; News Morton Downey Hymns You Love Finders Keepers	WIKK News Movie Snapshots Lunch With Chuck Foster	Tello-Test Crossroads of Army News; Hit	Kate Smith Speaks Big Sister Helen Trent Our Gal Sunday
1	:00 Baukage Talking :15 Constance Bennett :30 Music Box :45 (Trafton Robertson)	Nancy Osgood Gardening Robert McCormick	News; Warren Easy Rhythms Lunch With Lopez John J. Anthony	News; Bouquets Musical Bouquets You and Your Child	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	Life Can Be Beautiful Ma Perkins Young Dr. Malone Road of Life
2	:00 (Ida Clark) :15 Books, Adventure :30 Bride and Groom :45	Guiding Light Today's Children Woman in White Masquerade	Cedric Foster Lef's Waltz Queen for a Day	News; Rhythm Spotlight on Rhythm	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	Second Mrs. Burton Perry Mason Rosemary Tena and Tim
3	:00 Al Pearce :15 :30 Accent on Music :45 Ladies Be Seated	Woman of America Ma Perkins Pepper Young's Family Right to Happiness	WOL Open House (Karl Bates, Frank Blair; Variety, Music, Sports, News)	News; Tea for Two Tea for Two	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	Aunt Mary Dr. Paul Janice Grey News; Bob Lewis
4	:00 Jack Berch Show :15 Accent on Music :30 News; Evans :45 Hop Harrigan	Backstage Wife Stella Dallas Lorenzo Jones Young Widow Brown	Erskine Johnson WOL Open House	News; Band Wagon Band Wagon Music Hall	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	GE House Party , News Stump Us
5	:00 Terry and Pirates :15 Dick Tracy :30 Jack Armstrong :45 Tennessee Jed	When a Girl Marries Portia Faces Life Just Plain Bill Front Page Farrell	News; Quoting U. S. Superman Captain Midnight Tom Mix	News; Music Hall Music Hall	Band of the Day Crooners' Battle Sports; Theater Theater of the Air	Tales From Far and Near News; City Desk The Factfinder
6	:00 Evans; Agronsky :15 Van Damma; Sports :30 Earl Godwin :45 Singing Sam	News; Leif-Eid Musicade , Bergman Lowell Thomas	News; D. C. News C'gress Today (Henle) Johnson Family Bill Brundige, Sports	WINX News Bob Wolf Sports Dinner Date Twilight Tales	News; Melody Lane Melody Lane Sports Supper Club	Mahoney, Coffin In My Opinion Speaking of Sports News; Robert Trout
7	:00 Headline Edition :15 Raymond Swing :30 The Lone Ranger :45	Supper Club News Stringtime H. V. Kaltenborn	Fulton Lewis, Jr. Songs of Good Cheer Henry J. Taylor Inside of Sport:	News; Joe Reichman Benny Goodman Show Time	Romantic Rendezvous Bob Lee's Orch. News With Austad Alice Lane	Lanny Ross Jack Smith Ginny Simms Show
8	:00 Woody Herman Show :15 :30 This Is the FBI :45	Highways in Melody Duffy's Tavern	Music by Martin Richard Eaton So You Think You Know Music	News; Korean Delegation Bizet's "Carmen"	News; Little Theater Little Theater News; 1450 Club Jackson Lowe	Aldrich Family Kate Smith , News
9	:00 Alan Young Show :15 :30 The Sheriff :45	People Are Funny Waltz Time	Gabriel Heatter Real Life Stories Spotlight Bands	News; Symphony Bizet's Symphony No. 1	News; 1450 Club Jackson Lowe News; 1450 Club , Jackson Lowe	Holiday and Company Durante-Moore Show
10	:00 Prize Fights :15 :30 Sports Page :45	Mystery Theater Sports Newsreel Senator Lister Hill	Hollywood Open House Symphonette	News; Hawkins Coleman Hawkins Music for Dreaming	News; 1450 Club Jackson Lowe News; United We Stand	Danny Kaye Show "Maisie" (Ann Sothern)
11	:00 News; Evans :15 Hour of Dreams :30 :45	News; Music Harkness Concert Soiree	Voice of D. C. Music by Martin Sweet Music ; News	News; Post Preview Music for the Years	MacFarlane, News Super Session Woo Three Trio	News; Daly and Hersch Arch McDonald's Moondial Report From D. C.

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7:00 p. m.—Dinner Music
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7:30 p. m.—This Musical World
7:45 p. m.— "
8:00 p. m.—News
8:10 p. m.—Concert Hall
8:30 p. m.—Bizet's "Carmen"
8:45 p. m.— "
9:00 p. m.—Masterworks
9:05 p. m.— "
9:30 p. m.— "
9:55 p. m.—Interlude
10:00 p. m.—News
10:05 p. m.—Easy Listening
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10:55 p. m.—Weather

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This editorial, appearing in 25 McGraw-Hill publications in May, discusses some of the economic pitfalls which must be avoided if we are to meet the housing demands of the nation. You may, if you care to, quote or reprint any part of it with or without credit mention.

HOUSING *can cost too much*

EVERYONE in the United States wants our people, and particularly our war veterans, well housed quickly. Almost everyone, we believe, likes the vigor and imagination with which Wilson W. Wyatt, the housing expediter, is going about the job of mobilizing our housing resources.

No one, however, wants the veterans, or anyone else, to get a lot of severe economic headaches along with the housing. As it stands, the emergency housing program runs unnecessary risks of having such results.

Here are the reasons:

1 The principal opportunity the program offers to the veteran is that of buying a high-cost house where a chance to rent would, more often than not, meet his needs much better.

2 At the worst possible time, the program adds substantially to the dangers of a runaway inflation of the sort that inevitably ends in a crash.

3 Little is done to try to reduce the arbitrarily high costs of building, such as those resulting from restrictions imposed by labor unions and antiquated building codes.

4 By giving overriding priorities to unattainable goals of home construction, the program endangers a volume of industrial construction necessary to sustain full employment.

NEEDS OF VETERANS

First on the needs of the veterans. What many, if not most, veterans need is a chance to rent a place at a reasonable rental while they are getting shaken down in their postwar careers which in many cases are inevitably unsettled at this time. Essentially what the "Veterans Emergency Housing Program" gives them is a chance to buy, for about $6,000, a house built along conventional lines and padded with much unnecessary labor and material cost.

But what are the alternatives? There are at least two. One is to put far more emphasis on more effective use of existing housing than the Wyatt program has thus far. The other is to see that the proportion of new rental units is much stepped up.

Incredible as it may seem, there are at present more than 2,000,000 vacant dwellings in the United States. Many of them should be demolished. But many permit of relatively satisfactory temporary use. Many more single dwellings can readily be converted into comfortable multiple dwellings. The emergency program assumes that only 350,000 dwelling units can be provided this year by these expedients, but it does not seem unreasonable to assume that this figure might be doubled by a vigorous drive. The result would be a better balanced emergency housing program, because it would provide more rental housing immediately and save critical building materials.

Of the new housing units contemplated by the Wyatt program, it is estimated that only about 20 per cent will be for rent. Before the war more than half of the homes in the United States were rented. That means that unless the Wyatt program is to create little less than a revolution in the terms on which homes are occupied, it must be revised to include a much higher proportion of rental units.

To secure the result in the face of present high building costs special inducements will be required. They might be provided by allowing accelerated tax amortization of, say, half the construction cost over the next five years, together with rent ceilings high enough to make this form of investment attractive. This would, of course, call for higher rents, but the actual price to the veteran, in woe as well as money, might well be much less in the long run than if he bought an over-priced house now.

TOO EASY TO PAY TOO MUCH

One of the mysteries of the Wyatt program is its general emphasis on measures to increase the supply of money with which to buy houses when the demand for houses is already at an all-time high. Some veterans may need special financial help, but the plan to give 90-95 per cent mortgages generally on new homes is not only unnecessary but positively dangerous. By providing up to $3.5 billions of government-guaranteed credit for homes this year, and almost twice as much in 1947, the program will release an equivalent amount of individual savings to create further demand for goods and services. All that such generous mortgage terms will accomplish with certainty is a dangerous lengthening of the odds that we will not avoid a boom and bust cycle of inflation.

If building codes were brought up to date and arbitrary union working restrictions were eliminated, the way would be paved for reductions in the price of standard houses which, it has been estimated, might run as much as 20 per cent. This would both give the buyer of a new house a far better run for his money, and also reduce the inflationary pressure created by the super-generous credit arrangements involved.

Getting anything done along this line is difficult, particularly because the restrictions are imposed by tens of thousands of separate localities and organizations. Some headway is being made. The local emergency housing committees being set up under the Wyatt program provide a means of doing much more. Far more steam must be put behind this aspect of the program, however, if its greatest potentiality for permanently constructive accomplishment is to be realized.

CRIPPLING ESSENTIAL INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

The goals set for emergency housing construction —1,200,000 new homes started this year and 1,500,000 started in 1947—are higher than any qualified authority thinks can be met without crippling other essential construction. The reasons commonly assigned for such optimistic goals is that they are inspiring to those in the industry and soothing to those who want something tremendous done about housing.

Under normal circumstances, relatively little damage might be done by such excessive goals which are a common feature of most Washington programs trying to elbow their way to the center of the national stage. However, the emergency housing program carries with it top priorities for the materials to be used. Consequently, other essential construction will have to get along on whatever share of critical building materials will be left after all demands of home builders have been satisfied.

The Civilian Production Administration estimates that output of important materials will fall far short of needs. It forecasts a 15 per cent deficit in lumber, 18 per cent in bricks, and 52 per cent in cast iron radiators. Hence, unless building materials output can be stepped up far more rapidly than now seems possible, a prohibitive squeeze will be put on industrial building to provide the materials needed for the Wyatt program. This would complicate unbearably the problems of sustaining full employment and getting the flow of production so important in avoiding the boom and bust route.

PERSPECTIVE ON THE HOUSING SHORTAGE

What is needed is an aggressive drive to get full production of building materials as rapidly as possible. Such a drive should concentrate on measures aimed at helping the industry remove the obstacles to all-out production rather than on such measures as the subsidy plan which seems quite likely to succeed only in enmeshing the industry in more government controls. After making due allowance for the materials outlook and the needs for essential non-housing construction, housing goals should then be set as high as feasible. As matters stand, by setting construction goals before feasible material goals are determined, the cart is put before the horse.

There can be no doubt about the acuteness of the housing shortage and the necessity of a program commensurate with the magnitude of the problem. It also remains true, however, that the housing shortage for the nation as a whole is not quite as desperate as those who want the country to drop everything and go to building houses would have us believe.

During the war 3½ to 4 million new dwelling units were built or created by remodelling in other than farm areas. The number of families living in such areas increased by less than 3½ million. Even though some of this housing was located in remote places as an adjunct of war production works, the wartime increase permitted a margin for more housing per family at this time. Indeed, it has been estimated that the rate of doubling up is only about one-third as great as in 1940. The margin did not begin to suffice, however, to meet the needs of those millions of people particularly in the lower income groups who, thanks to rapid increases in income, can afford to have and insist upon having better housing than they have ever had before.

A rising standard of income which makes possible a new standard of housing for many people is a fine thing. Above all, it is important to see the veterans get the best possible break in housing.

BUT HOUSING CAN COST TOO MUCH

The Wyatt program has many good features. The emphasis on prefabrication, though perhaps over-optimistic, is hopefully modern. The emphasis on local collaboration in solving housing problems which are inevitably in large part local should lead to permanently valuable results. The vigorous mobilizing of 300,000 temporary dwellings to meet at high speed some of the most desperate shortage is all to the good.

The main trouble with the program is that it does not pay enough attention to the economic havoc which may be created in the process of trying to meet its excessive goals. As a nation, we should be and are willing to pay a high price to get adequate housing. But the price will be too high if we:

1. Give the veteran a bad bargain by selling him an over-priced house.
2. Cripple industrial production needed to create good jobs for veterans, and
3. Touch off a disastrous inflationary sequence in the process.

These pitfalls can be avoided. All of us, including the veterans, have a common interest in seeing that they are avoided.

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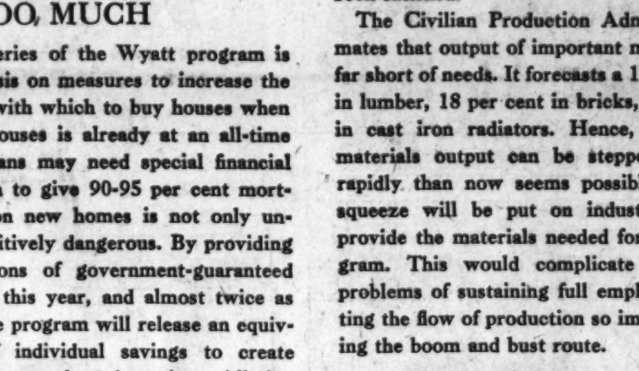

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